



1951

FARMINGTON STUDENT

Sissy

well our three years at F.H.S. are coming to an end. We sure had alot of fun together.

Every morning at 8:00 you would see Eleanor and I waiting on the corner for you to come and take us to school.

Rain or shine we would be there. Remember all the Basketball, football, baseball, and Track, games we went too. We sure had fun during our Senior year.

Remember the time we went out on a date, Beverly + George Kent, me and Al Kent, I don't know the name of the one you were with. Remember the movie we saw "all about Eve". I guess I am running out of words. I hope we see alot of each other after we get out. Don't forget the date we got during the summer. For the beach down to Rhode Island.

Love

Barbara

"Lizzy"

Well time sure went fast this year. I'll always remember the times at Night School, and the evenings at Arthur's Drug Store.

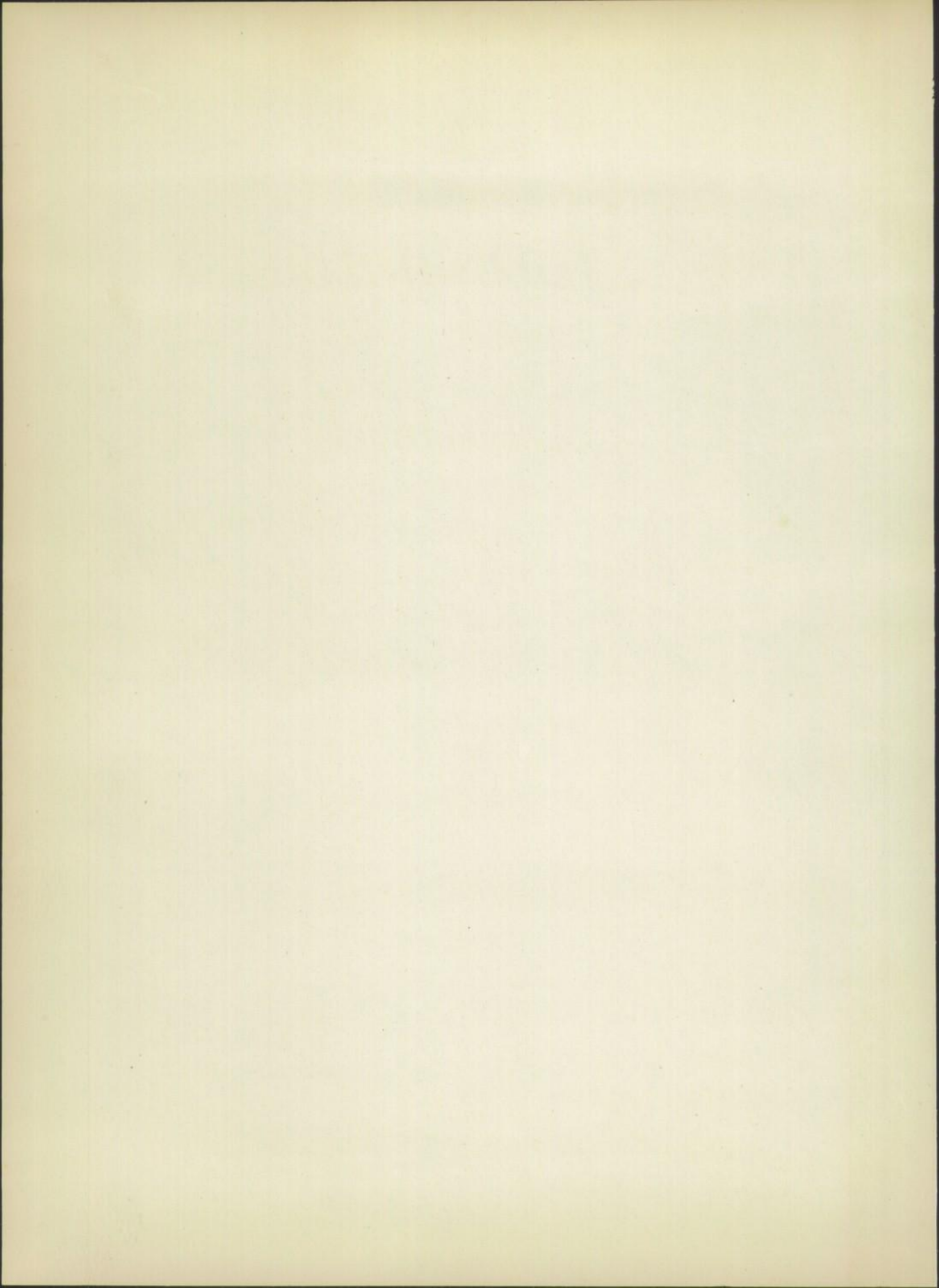
Remember the time we had with Norman and Ray the guys from Hartford. Bay, what a time.

Remember the time we had with Herman, and Joe. We went in the rest room in Plainville and Herman drop coffee all over him. Bay what a laugh that was. Remember in the movies in New Britain "Funchy" the kids up at back.

Well I guess I better drop off for good. I won't see you after school is out, I'll be running all over the place.

Lone' Bev.

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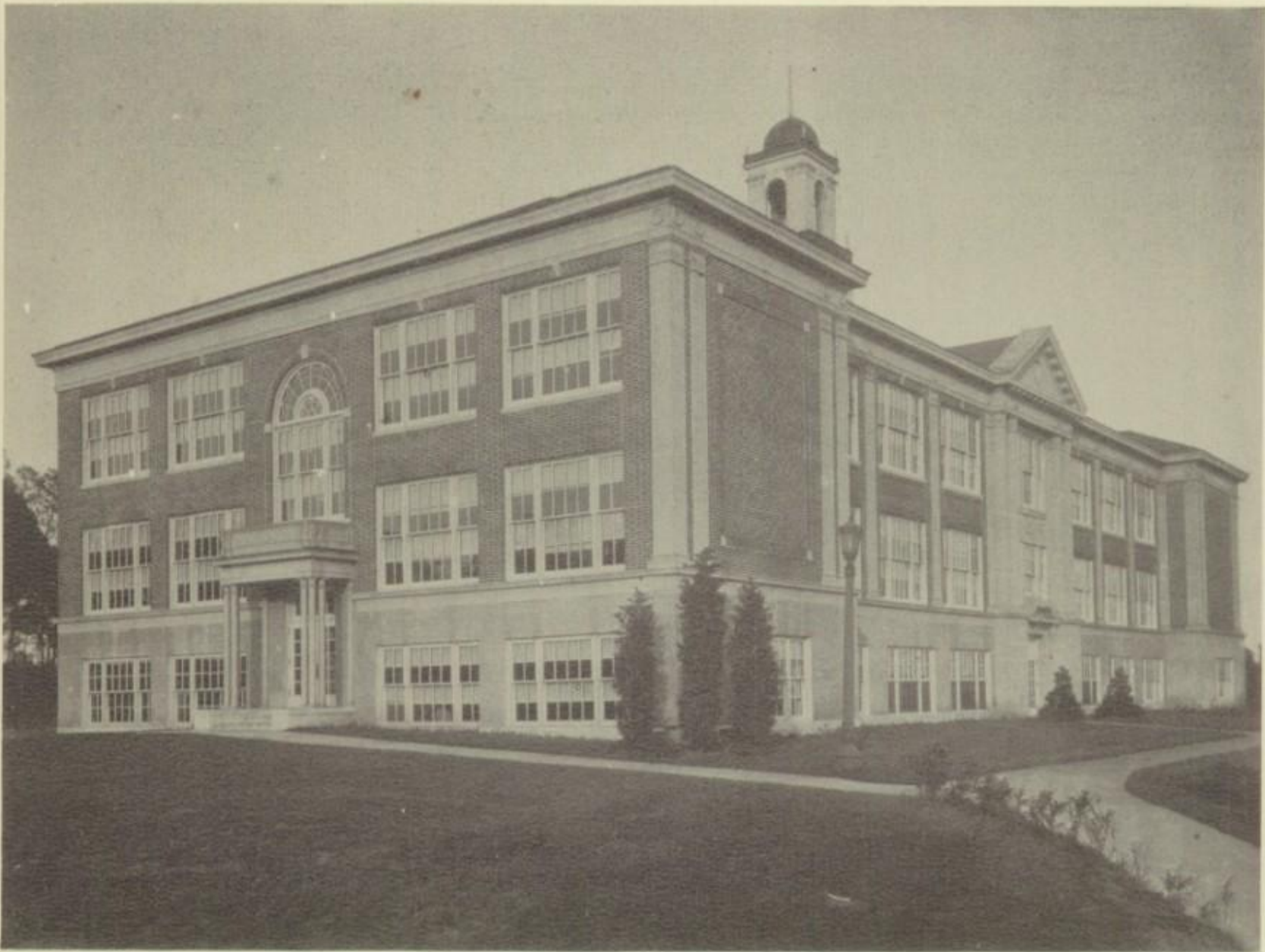


The
Farmington
Student

Class Book
of
1951

FARMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
UNIONVILLE, CONNECTICUT

Farmington High



SCHOOL SONG

I

Down in the valley of Connecticut
There is a school most fine;
We have some teams and some good cheers
And we have some dear old times;
So let us sing our song
To the School we love,
And let us sing our praises,
To make our spirit strong.

II

O may our School be the best school
That the state has ever had;
And may we show by our good works
The goal for which we stand;
So let us sing our song,
May we gladly say,
That to do this for our High School,
Will make our work like play.

Chorus

For, dear Farmington High School,
We'll be true to thee,
Maroon and Gray our colors
May they always float to the sky;
So praise our great victories,
And may we always say,
That if we ever will be loyal,
We'll be to thee, Farmington High.

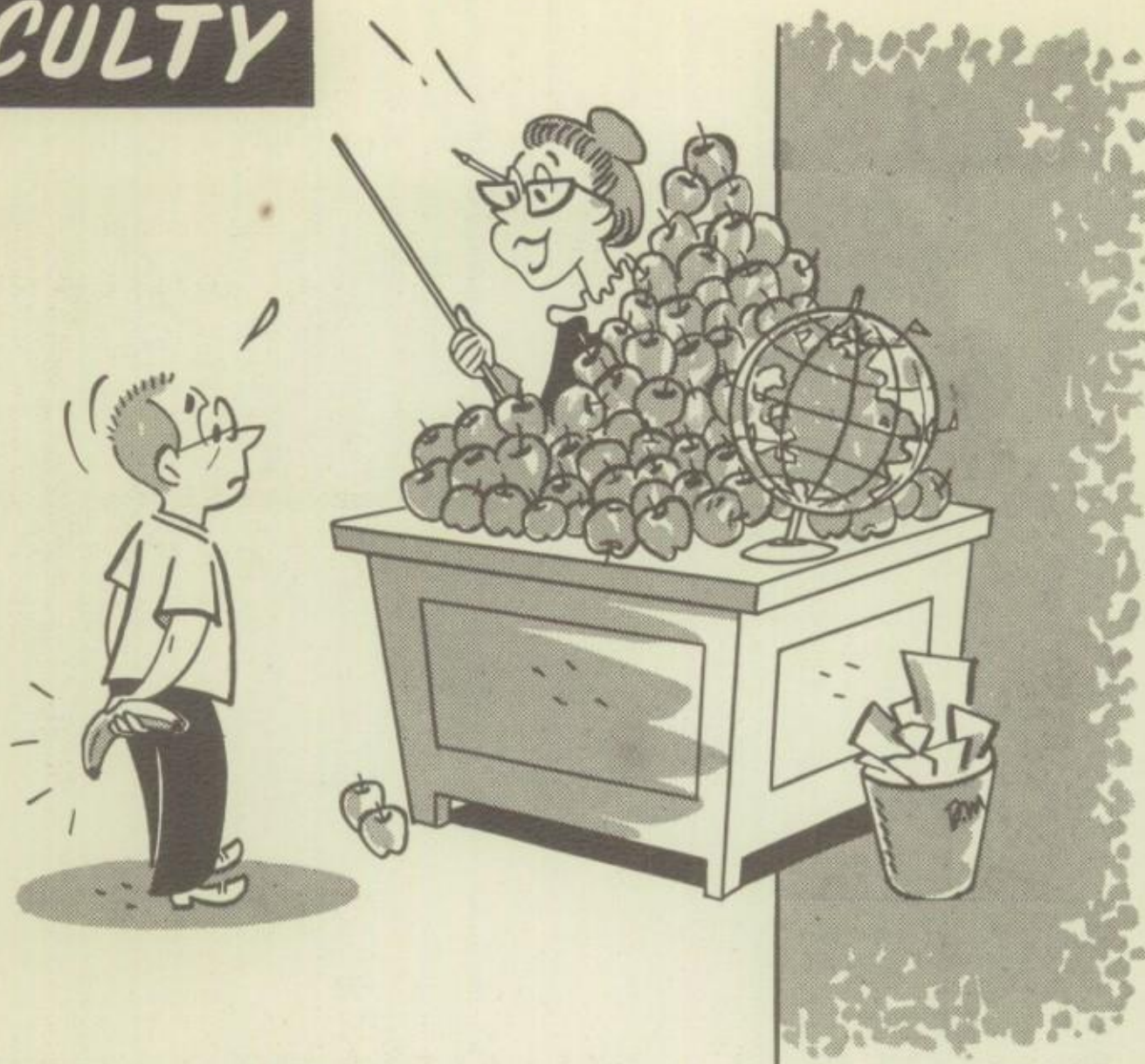
Dedication



TO MR. WALTER ASTON

In appreciation of the patience he has shown, the inspiration, the enthusiasm, and the capable guidance he has displayed in directing us in our activities, we dedicate this issue of the "Farmington Student."

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 English and Latin
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 Commercial Subjects
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 English
 History
 French and Spanish
 Science
 Commercial Subjects
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 Physical Education
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Missing from picture--C. Felage and P. O'Leary.

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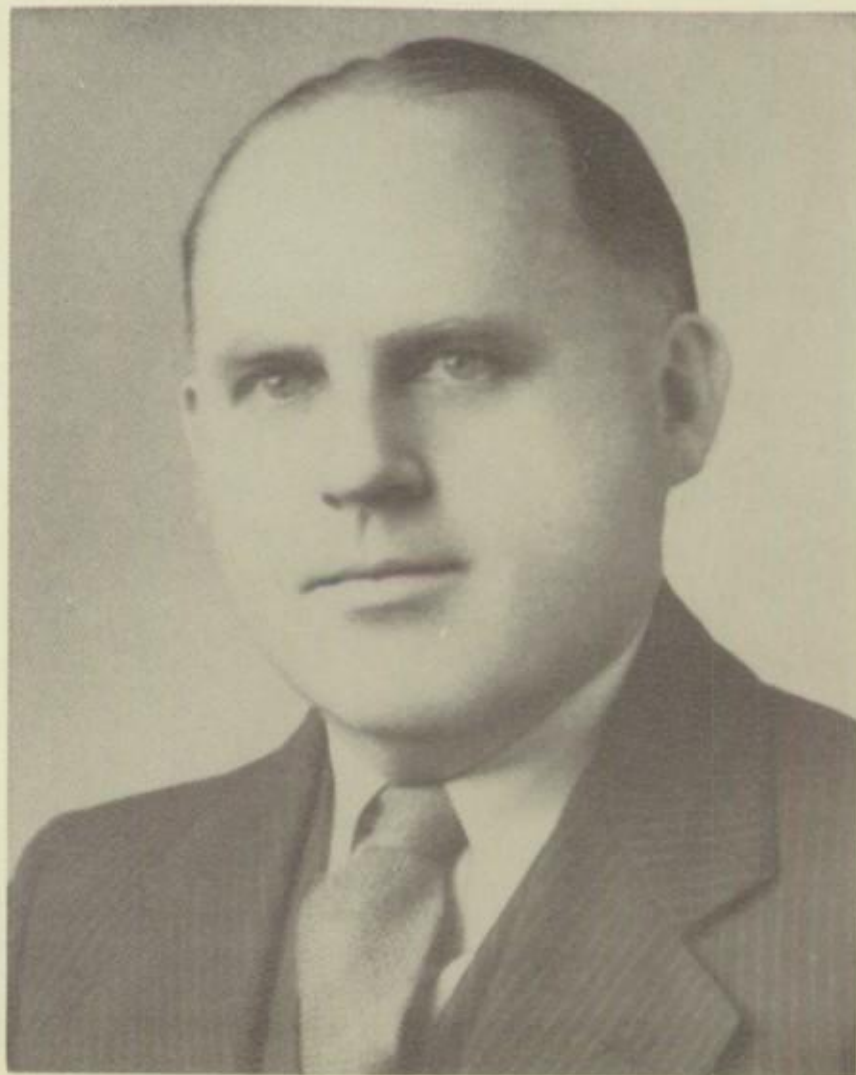
Superintendent

*Very best wishes. The paper
was very good. RES*

Joseph R. Burns

Mr. Joseph R. Burns

Vice-Principal





SENIORS



*Lizzie - she sure
had a swell out
time during year. I luck.
senior wish you Rita*

RITA E. AMELOTTE

Quotation: "Better late than never."

Rita joined our ranks in January of senior year, coming from Bristol High. We found her to be very quiet but pleasant. Had you come sooner, we know that you would have participated in our activities. Good luck as a secretary.

*Lizzie - Don't ever
forget the class of '51
and Rm. 418 at
the Annapolis Hotel.
Janet*

JANET A. ANDERSON

Quotation: "Meekness is not weakness."

Positions: Camera Club 2; Red Cross Club 4; Minstrel 4;
Club Editor for "Fairview Beacon."

Janet seems to be an authority on horses. Were prizes offered for reticence, she would be a consistent winner. In class, however, she lost her quiet nature and took part in the discussions. We hope that your desire to travel will be realized.



*Lizzie - Remember the
wonderful times we had
in F.H.S. I will always remember you whenever
I come. Good luck Shirley*

SHIRLEY MAE ANDERSON

Quotation: "The busier you are, the less trouble you get into."
Positions: Photo Club; Driver Training Club 4; Softball 3.

Shirley was not happy until she joined her mother's Alma Mater and specialized in sewing and serving ice cream at our school. Does she know her chickens! She has had a good time attending 4H contests and acting as a judge. We think that you should establish your own suit and dress shop, "Shirl."

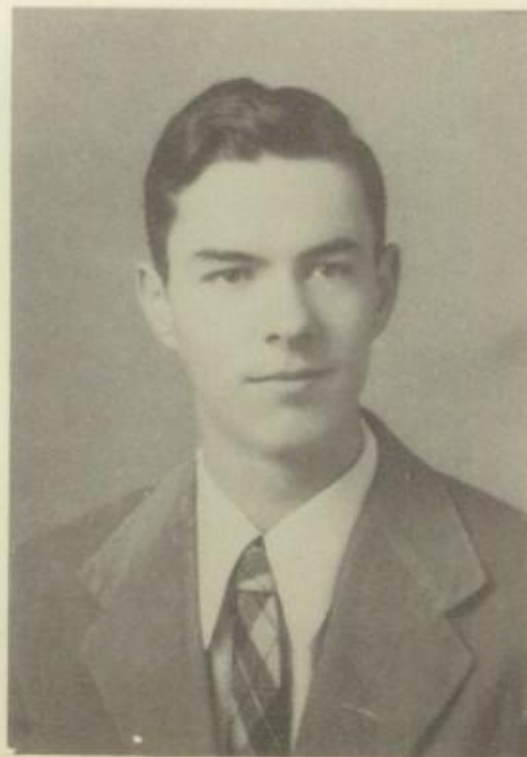
*"Good Luck"
Ronald
Arnold*

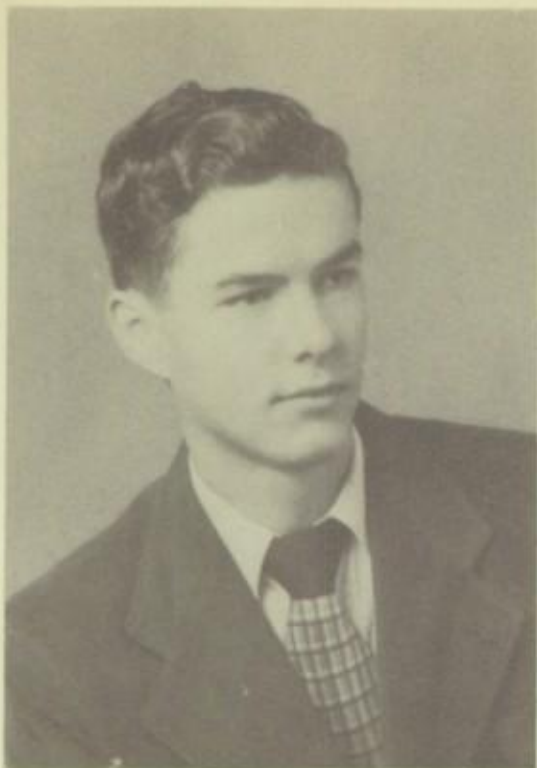
RONALD M. ARNOLD

Quotation: "A short absence is safest."

Positions: Minstrel 4; Library Club 2.

Ronald was a familiar sight each noon hour heading for the study hall, but not for examination of the encyclopedias. In his classes he seemed to prefer the rear seats possibly because his twin sat up in front. Possessing a good mind, he should be successful in the field of aviation.





*Remember the good times we had
at F.H.S. Russell*

RUSSELL ARNOLD

Quotation: "You can fool some of the people part of the time."

Can you tell which is which as Russell and his twin stride along the hall? No, we cannot, but Russell has a car and that helps to distinguish him partially. He has been very willing to transport girls from Unionville center. If you conquer the tasks of life as easily as you mastered your subjects, you should be a winner, "Rus."

*Betty -
Remember the
hard times we
had typing the
paper Nancy*

NANCY BELOIN

Quotation: "I may seem quiet, but when I get going."

Positions: National Honor Society 3, 4; Attendant to May Queen 2, 3; Assistant Editor of "The Farmington Student." Editor and Typist for "Fairview Beacon"; Cheering Club.

Nancy's ability to master her subjects in an easy fashion is well known to all of us. We have admired her determination and willingness to work and cooperate whether they were exemplified in her classes, school activities, or endeavors for our class book. Beneath that exterior air of quietness, we have frequently detected a spirit which takes great delight in a good time. Vale.



ANDREW J. BOUCHARD

Quotation: "By the work one knows the workman."

Positions: Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 4; Minstrel 4; Conservation Club 3, President 4; President Athletic Association; President Booster Club.

Peter has been active in many affairs at F. H. S., such as football, magazine drives, and managing the business end of "The Farmington Student." Between times he finds time to feed the game birds and spend his evenings in Farmington. With your ambitious spirit, "Pete", you should go places.

*Betty
never forget
all the good
times we had at
F.H.S. and so lots of
sweat to a swell
classmate
Pete*

JUNE MARIE BOUDREAU

Quotation: "The art of silence is as great as that of speech."

Positions: Junior Red Cross Club 4; Driving Club 4.

June comes from the Lake Garda section of town; but she never seemed to mind the long walk home especially after our school functions. Reticent in nature, June saves her words for her famed friends, especially a certain boy. Possessing a plan which calls for neatness and preciseness, June should become a successful secretary.

*Betty:
I wish we
could find
our senior
year over
again. Don't
you? Goodbye
June*





To his From me, we had Fun hey
 ADRIAN F. CHENEY *Adrian Cheney Kiddo.*
 Quotation: "I love to laugh. I once laughed at a funeral."
 Positions: Rifle Club 2; Dramatic Club 3; Conservation Club 3,
 4; Minstrel 4; Class Play 4.

Adrian's grin is a familiar sight at Farmington High whether he is rehearsing for a concert or discussing a scene from Shakespeare. An optimist in spirit, he looks forward to a bright future. Whether his final choice will be music or agriculture, we know that he will be competent in either.

To his -
 I hope that
 everything goes well
 for you in the future.
 I'll see you at
 reunion time.
 Rose

ROSE EILEEN COLLINS

Quotation: "Patience and gentleness amidst Irish mirth."
 Positions: Red Cross Club 3, 4; Delegate 3; Class Plays; Girls Basketball Manager 4; Assistant Editor "The Farmington Student."

Rose is "Miss Nonchalance" of 1951 as she refuses to become excited over any of the activities confronting a senior of today. We always found her dependable and willing to help our class by serving on committees or acting in our plays. We know that your experience as manager of the basketball team is only a small indication of how well you will manage the bigger things in life, Rose.



DANIEL DEEGAN

Quotation: "Let's be red with mirth."
 Positions: Junior Play; Joke Editor of "Farmington Student."

"Dan" always has a little "corny" joke to tell everyone he meets. His red hair makes him easy to see in any crowd. His freckles may be natural, but it is rumored that he once fell asleep behind a screen door on a sunny day. We hope that your good nature and Irish "blarney" will bring you success, "Dannny," in the field of engineering.

Liz, Lots of luck, but
 don't go overboard on the
 U.S. Navy
 Dan

MARY DEEGAN

Quotation: "A bridge of freckles across her nose."
 Positions: Driving Club 4; Assistant Editor of School Paper 4.

Mary's chief interests seemed to be letter writing and studying the geography of western Connecticut. Her retiring nature and gentle determination we liked very much, for they clearly indicated that we had a classmate who would tend to her own affairs and get her tasks well done. Look out for the snow and ice on those mountainous roads, Mary.



To Liz.
 Always remember the fun we've had at F.H.S. & Wash.
 Best of Luck in the future.
 Mary.



GERARD FORREST DRAPER

Quotation: "The beat of my heart matches the beat of the drum."
Positions: Minstrel 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 4; Baseball 3, 4; Class Play 3; Sports Editor of "The Farmington Student."

Forrest did his best to score for F. H. S. on the football field and basketball court. He also reported sporting news for "The Fairview Beacon." Possessing a good singing voice, he became interested in sentimental songs in his final year. With so many interests at your beck, Forrest you should find life very interesting.



JANET DRUMMOND

Quotation: "A sweet voice and a sweet smile."
Positions: Red Cross Club 4; Minstrel 4; Entertainment Club 4.

We shall always remember Janet for her singing in the minstrel show and at the concerts. Add to this talent a pleasant smile and friendly disposition and you will have a good description of her. We hope that you will follow the "great" Anna's advice, "Janet," and treat your pupils to a solo everyday.

Liz - We've had a lot of fun at F.H.S. never forget it. Be good & Lots of luck "Jan"

*Betty We sure did have fun at F.H.S. I sure will miss our foundation
Regards, Bunky*

EDWARD A. DOBRYNSKI

Quotation: "And I learned about women from her."
Positions: Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, Captain 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Conservation Club 3, 4; Vice President Senior Class.

"Bunky" made a good basketball captain in our final year. For diversion he turned to the trumpet from which emanated solos comparable to those rendered by Harry James. Perhaps, "Bunky", some individual will one day present a solution to your feminine problems, and you will be able to concentrate entirely on basketball.

Good luck in the future. Don't forget the F.H.S. you we have had & H.S. Forrest



BEVERLY PEARL DRISCOLL

Quotation: "On with the dance! No sleep until morn!"
Positions: Minstrel 2, 3, 4.

Farmington High School is going to miss Beverly next year, for she has been a star performer in minstrel shows for three years. As a member of the faculty said: "Her rhythm was perfect." Pep is the best adjective we can use to describe her as we watched her at football and basketball games. We cannot understand why you prefer a career in modeling to one of dancing, "Bev."

"Cliz:" We won't see each other much when out of school. But some day we will. With Best Wishes "Bev"





Betty. Remember all the swell times we had in F.H.S. and D.C. Good luck in the future. Binnie

ROBERT EARL ERKSON

Quotation: "An imp of mischief."

Positions: Rifle Club 2; Red Cross 3; Minstrel 4.

"Bob" spends most of his extra time at a local store where he tries to keep the oranges from rolling onto the floor. He loves to climb the hill with his "hot rod" on the rare occasions when it runs. Architectural engineering is an interesting and useful profession, "Bob," and you may turn out to be a second Einstein.

Remember the fun at F.H.S. and don't forget English Class. Bob

CLIFFORD CLARK FELLAGE, JR.

Quotation: "It isn't by size that we win or fail."

Positions: Minstrel 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, Treasurer 4; Class Plays 3, 4; Assistant Editor of "Student" staff; Library Club 2, 3, 4.

Versatility, here is thy master. Yes, Clifford has been outstanding in music, dramatics, art, and class. We were glad when his voice finally changed, for we heard a solo that was a pleasant surprise at the Choral Club Concert. The bulletin board in Mr. Burns' room will miss his wonderful book covers next year. A musical doctor might be an innovation, "Cliff."



EILEEN FRANCES FLYNN

Quotation: "Rare is the union of beauty and modesty."

Positions: Minstrel 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Boosters Club 3, 4; Conservation Club 4; Cheering Club 4; Assistant Editor of "The Farmington Student."

Eileen's fine taste in clothes and neatness are wellknown to all of us. Her special talent seems to be in secretarial work. For recreation she turned to basketball where she proved a keen competitor. An even disposition is a wonderful asset, Eileen, and we believe that it means happiness for you.

Liz- Never all forget we had the best of luck to you Eileen



ROBERT J. FOLEY

Quotation: "He is a "Giant" of a "Yankee."

Positions: Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Booster Club.

Robert proved a sterling member of the basketball team as he displayed a keen eye and an accurate aim. His scoring ability ranked with the best of the Valley. Mild in manner and congenial by nature, he made many friends whether he was in the classroom, the corridors, or at the corner of Farmington Avenue at 9:05. Someday, "Bob", you will realize that your grandfather knew how to pick the right team.

Remember all the good times we had in our senior year. "Best of luck" Bob Foley





WALTER GIRARD, JR.

Quotation: "A lion among the ladies."
Positions: Minstrel 2, 3; Football 2, 3, 4.

"Walt" has all the accomplishments necessary for a successful feminine conquest; a musical voice, a soft guitar, a flirtatious look, and a gentle line. There was nothing gentle, however, when he kept the football opposition from the Indians' goal line. May you continue to charm with your music, "Walt."

*I wish you all
the, Luck in the world;
I wish your dreams, come true;
And hope you have Happiness,
throughout the years anew.
Wally (Gugehead)*

IRENE C. GRESH

Quotation: "I may be little, but that's my worst failing."
Positions: Minstrel 4; Hilltop Club 2, 3; Red Cross Club 4;
Cheering Club 4; Driver's Club 4.

Here is a girl who had enough energy stored up to keep her most active during the day and night. Her voice was a familiar sound at all our basketball games. Her calm expression hides a disposition to do mischief which she shares with her pal Jean. The world needs smiles today, Irene, and yours will be a welcome addition as you plan a career of nursing.

*Siz - you're her a swell
pal Lots of luck
Irene*



PAUL JOSEPH GRESH

Quotation: "The best things come in small packages of twenty."
Positions: Safety Club 4.

Paul was the chairman of the reception committee which welcomed each new girl to our school. The sole requisite for membership was a good "line". The latter must have been good, for yearly the list of his friends grew. Anything mechanical seemed to interest him and Mr. Yung's room was his favorite haunt. We know that you will enjoy changing tires for the ladies, "Paul."

*Sizzie - Don't ever forget Dear
Old F. H. S. and
the good times*

Paul Gresh



WINIFRED ELIZABETH HARRIS

Quotation: "Sparkling eyes full of pep, making friends every step."
Positions: Basketball 2, 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4; Boosters Club 3, 4;
Conservation Club 3, 4; Minstrel 2, 4; Softball 3, 4.

"Winnie" was a co-captain of the girls' basketball and hockey teams. Sports were her strong point and claimed much of her time at school. Her pleasant smile and friendly greeting won her many friends and helped her secure many ads for the "Farmington Student." Your willingness to cooperate should help you to success, "Winnie," and encourage "Rufus" to work to pay the rent.

*Betty, Don't forget all the fun at F. H. S. and our D. C. trips. Don't forget our English classes and spelling tests etc. You've been a swell friend. Best of luck to you in the future. See you around in that sharp frock.
Love "Winnie"*





Sis, Never forget the wonderful times we've had together to a Barbara

BARBARA JEAN HART

Quotation: "All the world's my stage."

Positions: Minstrel 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Class Plays 3, 4; Grips and Gripes Program 2, 4; Parade of Youth 3; Typist of "The Farmington Student"; Cheering Club.

We do not know what our class plays would have done without Barbara. Thoroughly familiar with all the tricks of the stage, she helped immensely by her acting and coaching. Another possibility is law, for she showed us that she could give convincing arguments when the occasion demanded. We expect to see your name in the bright lights some day, "Barb."

I sure would like to take a spin in that Cadillac. Love, Sophie

SOPHIE PAULINE HAYOSTEK

Quotation: "An apple pie without some cheese is like a kiss without a squeeze."

Positions: Hockey 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 3, 4; Conservation Club; Typist for "The Farmington Student."

Sophie has the ideal disposition for an athlete. Behind that exterior calm is a great spirit of enthusiasm and sportsmanship which she so well exhibited in field hockey, basketball, and softball. The sophomore and junior boys all tell us that she is intensely loyal and faithful. You should be a good secretary, "Sophie."



CAROL ELAINE HEATH

Quotation: "Charm, personality, popularity--all these God bestowed upon her."

Positions: "Farmington Student" Staff; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Conservation Club 3, 4; Basketball 3; Boosters Club 3, 4.

Carol's interests at Farmington High have been diversified. She found time to participate in athletics, captain the cheerleaders, and maintain a high average for membership in the National Honor Society. We know that she missed the class of '50. May you continue to make friends as you have made them at F. H. S.

Liz - Remember the good times in Farm. Don't forget '51 on Washington Heap

Never forget the journalism classes! We had so much fun at F. H. S. Sylvia

SYLVIA MAE HORNBERGER

Quotation: "A soft answer turneth away wrath."

Positions: Sophomore Reception 2; Minstrel 4; Driving Club 4; Senior Supper 4; Red Cross Club 4.

Sylvia's sincerity and honest endeavor impressed us from the beginning. She went about her schoolwork with an earnestness that brought her good marks and won for her the admiration and respect of her classmates. Recently we learned that the moving picture industry looked attractive to her. Remember the autographs, Sylvia.



These past three years sure flew by fast. Good luck in the future to a swell kid.

WILLIAM ROBERT JOHANSEN

Bill



Quotation: "Debate is masculine; conversation, feminine."
Positions: National Honor Society 3, 4; Conservation Club 3, 4;
Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3, 4;
Class President 4; "Farmington Student" Staff.

"Bill" has been a good worker in all departments, whether he was leading the football team, acting in our class play, conducting class meetings, or giving recitations. His spirit of cooperation has won him many friends. Keep up the good neighbor spirit, "Bill."

ROBERT E. KERR

Quotation: "The magazine rack is my English text."
Positions: Golf 2; Booster Club 3, 4.

Robert preferred the intramurals to varsity competition in sports. His interests lay in golf, hunting and plumbing. A sudden interest in singers developed in senior year after he had listened to a song from "Showboat." His slim figure enabled him to slide into classes just as the door was closing. We surely will call on you, "Bobby," if our elbows are out of joint.



EDWARD DONALD KILLIANY

Quotation: "Blonde or brunette, happy is he who knows them not."
Positions: Assistant Business Manager of "The Farmington Student"; Conservation Club 4; Photographer 4.

"Donny" has been our star photographer as he took pictures of our athletic games, minstrel shows, or mock weddings. Woodworking has also had a keen attraction for him and he has many fine articles as evidence of his ability in that field. We predict that you will succumb someday to feminine charms, "Donny."

*Best wishes and lots of luck to a swell classmate. Don
Good Luck Liz I hope you enjoyed your two years at FHS as much as we did.*

CAROLYN ANN KNOX

Quotation: "Thought is deeper than all speech."

Carolyn

Carolyn carried on many a conversation with Janet, supposedly about the numerous trips they took together. Music seemed to be her outstanding interest at school. We admire your determination, Carolyn, and know that it will give your advancement in the business world.





ELIZABETH LATHROP

Quotation: "What I love to do, I get done."

Positions: Driving Club 4; Mystery Ride Committee 4; Senior Supper Committee 4; Softball 3; Year Book Staff 4.

"Betty" was our number one athletic fan, for she had almost perfect attendance at all our contests. She was an energetic worker for the "Fairview Beacon" and a typist for "The Farmington Student." We are sure that you will prove an outstanding bookkeeper, Elizabeth.

*Sig - I always
remember the good
times at F.H.S. and especially
at Washington. Hope to
see you around
Barbara*

BARBARA ANN LESIAK

Quotation: "I chatter, chatter as I go."

Positions: Driver Training Club 4; Mystery Ride and Senior Supper Committees.

How Barbara's face lit up as she talked about her good times at Rood's or her enjoyable evenings in Bristol. She was the center of attraction each morning as she and three friends exchanged news of the night before. We all admired her neat hairdos, and know that as a future hair dresser she will have many satisfied customers.



*Sig - We had a lot of fun at
all the games, Washington,
and Dear Old F.H.S. didn't
we? Good Luck
Helen*

HELEN BARBARA LONG

Quotation: "Fond of work, fond of play, cheerful all the day."

Positions: Cheerleader 3, 4; Minstrel 3, 4; Conservation Club 4; Softball 3, 4; Booster Club 4; Driving Club 3, 4.

Helen showed great enthusiasm as a member of the cheering squad for 2 years. She was always kept busy on various class committees. Her courteous manner and her agreeable disposition won her many friends. No individual has showed more spirit of cooperation than she. We are sure that male patients will enjoy having you take their pulses, Helen.

*Sig - We have had a lot of fun
in our many activities
at F.H.S. Best of luck in
the future. Anne*

ANNE ELIZABETH MacDONALD

Quotation: "Something attempted, something done."

Positions: Minstrel 4; Junior Red Cross Club 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Library Club 2, 3, 4; Assistant Editor of "The Farmington Student."

Ann has done outstanding work in her classes, especially mathematics and physics. Her interest was not solitary, however, for she was an ardent sports fan, attending all the games and joining the Cheering Club. People who possess qualities like yours never fail, Anne, and we are confident that you will reach the top of the ladder soon.



Don't forget the fun we had in school. Best of luck in the future, Jake.



JOHN ARMANDO MARROCCO

Quotation: "He goes along in his own quiet way."
Positions: Minstrel 1, 3; Basketball 2.

Appearances are sometimes deceptive and in senior year we found that John was not so quiet after all. We wonder where he purchased those stylish hats. We think of Napoleon, John, when we relate the accomplishments of small men. May you enjoy your service in the United States Navy.

Don't forget the good times at F.H.S. I won't forget the girl who sat in front of me in home room.

JEROME MATAVA

Quotation: "An excuse a day shortens the schedule."
Positions: Conservation Club 4; Minstrel 2; Rifle Club 2; Track.

It seemed that Jerry always had something to smile about either as he stood in the corridors talking to Winnie or as he displayed his skiing technique out on the hill. With all the experience you have had working on your car during free periods, "Jerry," we feel that you will be a definite asset to Matava's Garage.



ELEANOR MARY McAULIFFE

Quotation: "Why is it that the days are so short and the nights so long?"
Positions: Driver Training Club 4; Typist for the "Farmington Student;" Committees 2, 3, 4.

Eleanor's activities were directed to affairs outside of school where she had her good times. "The Fairview Beacon" offered proof of her artistic ability. High among her interests was a keen delight in the latest fashions, and the results were evident in the stylish clothes she wore. Well-dressed secretaries are always in demand, "Ellie".

Lizard, will miss seeing you around every day. Never forget our good times in Washington F.H.S. I can't picture us working can you, "Ellie".

ROBERT EDWARD MITCHELL

Quotation: "School is one darn thing after another."
Positions: Football 3; Track 3.

Robert came to us from New Britain in junior year. Soon he and his car were a familiar sight carrying passengers to games out of town. Senior year, however, he reserved the seat next to the driver. With all the experience you have had repairing your car, you should carry on in the Mitchell fashion and operate your own garage, "Mitch."



Betty Hope you don't smash that good-looking Ford up. Mitch



Betty I'll always remember you as the one who was trying steal my pencils when I lost them. Remember the times at F.H.S. Best of Luck
ROBERT W. MITCHELL

Quotation: "I don't dance, but I love holding you while you do."

We used to look for the 8:30 ride to school each morning from "Mitch." Like his cousin he was always ready to accommodate us by driving us to town or elsewhere. Senior year he developed a fondness for the love seat in the office and sophomores. Don't let that blush betray you, "Mitch."

*Elizabeth,
 I hope you will remember what a pain in the neck I've been the last two years. Good luck to you in the years to come.
 Ty Moody*

JAMES CLIFFORD MOODY

Quotation: "His speech is short, comprehending much in a few words."
 Positions: Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4.

James likes sports especially basketball and baseball. In class he displayed a keen mind, capable of discussing Hamlet's madness or Browning's monologues. There was nothing boisterous about him as he showed an obliging manner among us. May your agricultural studies be successful, "Titus."



ELIZABETH MARY MOOLHUYZEN

Quotation: "Give every man thy voice but few thy ear."
 Positions: Junior Play; Hilltop Club 2, 3; Safety Club 2; Conservation Club 4; Outing Club 4; Minstrel 2, 3, 4; Hockey 2; Cheering Club 4.

We were glad that Betty moved from New Jersey to join our class. Her cheerful laugh and pleasant smile were a welcome sight in the corridor. Senior year found her sharing her time and following the activities of the class of 1952. Your optimistic spirit should win you many friends, "Bet."

*"Betty"
 Let never forget Junior Class or F.H.S. Best Wishes in the future
 "Betty"
 To Betty
 A real swell friend and classmate
 Never forget our foundation
 No one will ever be as good as you
 Always Betty*

PATRICIA O'LEARY

Quotation: "Be happy, go lucky."
 Positions: Conservation Club 3, 4; Booster Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; President Junior Class; Hilltop Club 2, 3.

Here is our candidate for Miss Irish of the class of 1951. Possessing a light hearted disposition which she often displayed by a carefree manner and an Irish song, sure "Pat" stole our hearts away. Her petiteness made her an attractive cheerleader. Remember the adage, "Patty," "Tempus fugit."



*Betty, sure has been wonderful.
Best luck,
DENISE LUCE OLYPHANT *Dennie**



Quotation: "It's no use crying over spilt milk; it only makes it salty for the cat"

Positions: Softball 2, 3, Captain 4; Hockey 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Junior Play; Booster Club 4; Minstrel 4.

Denise proved quite an actress in our junior class play in her role of a nurse. She was always interested in sports, especially in field hockey where she won her varsity letter. We liked her kindness in adopting the homeless cat which was roaming our corridors. Good luck, Denise.

*Betty - Never forget
this kid as he will
never forget you.
fuck,
Ben*

BANJAMIN J. PASCUS, JR.

Quotation: "No one knows what he can do until he tries."

Positions: Minstrel 4; Conservation Club 3, 4; Rifle Club 2; Red Cross 2; Senior Play 4; Junior Play Committee.

If prizes were awarded in all fields, Ben would be the winner in the lost book department and late arrival at classes. He pleasantly surprised us in our last year by doing a good job as interlocutor in the minstrel and by playing a dramatic role in the senior play. We wish you success, "Ben".



*Betty, Remember the fun we had at Winding
Trails. Best Wishes,* AUDREY JOAN PETERSEN



Audrey
Quotation: "A daughter of the gods, divinely tall and most divinely fair."

Positions: National Honor Society 3, 4; Conservation Club 4; Class Plays 3, 4; Athletic Association Treasurer 4; Assistant Editor "Farmington Student"; Basketball 4.

Audrey was our businest classmate as she played hockey and basketball, accompanied the choral club, took charge of ticket sales, and served on many committees. Despite all these activities she had a high average and became a member of the National Honor Society. Such qualities as you possess, Audrey, make good citizens and excellent teachers.

*Betty,
Good luck in
whatever you do.
Barbara*

BARBARA JEAN PETERSEN

Quotation: "I love my love and my love loves me."

Positions: Class treasurer 2, 3, 4; Minstrel 2, 4; Assistant Manager of Magazine Drive 3; Manager of Magazine Drive 4.

Barbara took the greatest delight in talking up sales for the magazine drive. She seemed to possess the knack of collecting money. No wonder then that we chose her class treasurer. Will you miss those days "off" next year, Barbara? We vision you as a good housewife and economist.





CAROL ANN POLSTEN

Quotation: "Gentle in method, resolute in action."

Positions: Conservation Club 4; Editor-in-Chief "Fairview Beacon;" Class Plays 3, 4; Assistant Editor, Art Editor "Farmington Student;" "Parade of Youth" Correspondent; Red Cross Club Delegate 3.

Every Monday Carol would be gathering information for her school report to the "Parade of Youth." She regretted that she could not use her ability in art and illustrate her news by pictures and caricatures. Perhaps good posters in the hospital rooms might cheer the patients, Carol.

Lots of luck to a swell gal! It has been fun working with you on the paper.
Carol



DONALD RINDFLEISCH

Quotation: "My tires aren't so good. The air has begun to show through."

Don's car made up for the noise that he himself did not make. We wonder what those trips to Vermont and Maine meant. We thought his only pastime was tinkering with a car, but in his final year, he added a new interest--talking to a junior girl. You should own your own garage some day, "Don."

*Member F.H.S.
and all the
fun in D.C.
Bill*

WILLIAM MICHAEL ROURKE

Quotation: "Good weight and measure is heaven's treasure."

Positions: Football 2, 3, 4; Conservation Club 3, 4; Booster's Club 4; Rifle Club 2.

Bill's most frequent wish is, "If only Science would do something to cure the blush." His classmates will never forget that ruddy glow and the good natured smile that went with it. The extra weight that Bill possessed came in very handy on the football field. We expect you to succeed your father someday, "Bill," as manager of Atlantic and Pacific.



JEANNE SERVANT

Quotation: "A petite package of pep."

Positions: Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Field Hockey 2; Minstrel 4; Sports Editor "Farmington Student;" Booster Club 3, 4.

Jeanne has been a cheerleader for three years and no matter how our team was playing, displayed a great zeal for arousing the students to cheer. Of course her cheers were hardest for the football team. Keep up that spirit, "Chick," and you will make difficulties disappear for yourself and others.

*"Betty" I've had fun going to school & wish you expected to see you with that Ford of yours.
Yours,
Jeanne*





Betty, we've had lots of fun into the senior year and you've been a sweet friend. Best of luck Joan

JOAN SHIRLEY

Quotation: "Love thy neighbor as thyself."

Positions: Conservation Club 4; Hilltop 2, 3; Junior and Senior Plays; Minstrel 4.

Joan became a devoted football fan but somehow or other she could see but one player on the field. She believes that it is very convenient to have a grocery store in the neighborhood. Seeming calm and collected on the exterior, she frequently bursts out in genuine laughter. May you continue to have a chauffeur, "Joannie."

Betty, always remember F.H.S. and the fun in Journalism class. See you around. Good luck "Nita"

JUANITA LOIS STANCHFIELD

Quotation: "Short and sweet."

Positions: Minstrel 2, 3, 4; Chairman Sophomore Hop; Outing Club.

Juanita's favorite topic of conversation each day with Jeanne is letters, letters from a soldier overseas. She has the admirable quality of minding her own affairs. She has served many times on various class committees. You should be a good office clerk, "Nita," for employers admire the right kind of reserve.



Betty, you have been a nice classmate and I wish you good luck. Ronnie

RONALD LORIN SUTTON

Quotation: "He thought his car an airplane and flew along the way."

Positions: Football 2, 3, 4; Conservation Club 2, 3; Boosters Club 3, 4; Baseball 2.

Ronald was known around school for his mischievous smile. His chief interest was his automobile which he used to do errands and keep five o'clock appointments. We expect to see you as a driver at Cherry Park some day, "Ronnie."

Thanks for your work you did to make this book a success. Good luck in whatever you do!!! Margie

MARJORIE DAY TEMPLETON

Quotation: "Knowledge in youth is wisdom in age."

Positions: Library Club 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4, Vice-President 3; Minstrel 4; Drivers' Training Club 4; Red Cross Club 4; Editor-in-Chief of "The Farmington Student" 4.

Marjorie has been an ideal student, excelling in all her classes. How she hustled about and worried about her job as editor-in-chief of "The Farmington Student." She possesses a pleasing singing voice which we enjoyed at the concerts and minstrel. You have chosen the best possible profession, "Marge," and we wish you Godspeed.



*Good Luck
Pete Tribuzio*

PETER FRANCIS TRIBUZIO

Quotation: "I'm not arguing with you; I'm telling you."
Positions: Rifle Club 2, 3; Minstrel 4; Football 2, 4.

"Pete," in our opinion, should become a lawyer, for he certainly likes to engage in argumentative tactics. We often noted a merry twinkle in his eye which indicated that he was merely having a good time. If you continue to caper as you have cavorted at F. H. S., Arthur Murray will be out of a job in the near future, "Tin Boots."

*Betty, I'll never forget the
fun we had in Washington.
The jokes we told were
very funny. I'll miss
you in Office Practice.
Rita*



RITA MARION UNWIN

Quotation: "I keep close to my interests."
Positions: Safety Club 4; Rifle Club 2; Outing Club 4; Minstrel 4.

Rita could be found each morning and noon wending her way to and from Ginny's home. What secrets they share we shall never know. Her chief interest at school was in the Outing Club. The determination and perseverance you showed in your classes, "Rita," augur your success in the secretarial field.

*Always remember F. H. S.
and the good times
had by all. Ginny*

GENEVIEVE VARNEY

Quotation: "Why get excited! Life doesn't go any faster."
Positions: Safety Club 4; Treasurer Outing Club 4; Minstrel 4; Rifle Club 2.

Ginny regretted the fact that she lived so close to the school. Otherwise the blue Buick might have afforded her daily transportation. Keeping close to her own interests, she maintained a strong friendship with Rita. May you always be fortunate enough to ride in Buicks.

*Dear Liz-
Well, we really have had a
good time cheering at the games
these past years. Don't forget our
class trips. It's been real
blurry up and leave. TEAR*



JEAN E. VETRANO

Quotation: "I never worry about what I did yesterday."
Positions: Hilltop Club 3; Minstrel 3, 4; Outing Club 4; Red Cross Club 4; Driver Training Club 4.

Jean is the Wrigley queen as she masticates a package a day. She certainly liked to cheer for the basketball team. After school her favorite haunt was the popcorn machine. You should be a successful buyer, "Stretch," for your customers will catch your contagious laughter.



CATHERINE MARIE WILUSZ

Quotation: "As merry as the day is long."

Positions: Minstrel 2, 3, 4; Senior Play; Oratorical Contest 3; Secretary of Class 2, 4; Assistant Editor of "Farmington Student."

Catherine has been a favorite in our class circle because of her cheerful spirit and the excellent renditions she has given in our minstrel show, class plays, and Glee Club concerts. She admits that some of her jokes are "corny", but they make the day less tedious for someone. We know that your amiable moods will be as good as medicine for your patients, "Nurse Cathy."

To Betty - Always remember the laughs we had in Journalism Class. We sure kept Blitzer going. Lots of luck in every thing kid. Cathy '51"



JULIETTE ANN WOLLENBERG

Quotation: "Good-natured and fun loving."

Positions: Red Cross Club 3, 4; Minstrel 4; Safety Club 4; Basketball Manager 3; Cheering Club 4; Alumni Editor of "The Farmington Student" 4.

Even a short acquaintance with "Judy" will convince anyone that she possesses a ready wit, and a good, friendly spirit. Cooperation is one of her fine characteristics and we have seen many instances of it in preparing this book. We think that you will enjoy your years at St. Joseph, "Judy", as you prepare for a career in teaching.

SENIOR CLASS NOTES

OFFICERS

President	William Johansen
Vice-President	Edward Dobrynski
Secretary	Catherine Wilusz
Treasurer	Barbara Petersen
Reporter	Winifred Harris
Motto	"Excelsior."

Liz - I hope you have a wonderful future. Don't forget me. Juliette

Colors--Maroon and Gold

Flower--Yellow Rose

Our Senior year at Farmington High School proved to be very interesting and exciting. Mr. Aston again served as our class advisor and helped us plan our many activities. What fun we had watching the sophomores trying to outdo each other in the prize waltz! Who of us will ever forget Catherine Wilusz as the hit of the minstrel show! Janet and Clifford gave fine performances in the minstrel and Christmas Concert. Our senior play, "The Swamp House," kept everyone on edge. Barbara Hart was outstanding in her leading role and had the able assistance of Adrian Cheney as leading man. When we recall our final year, we shall always think of our star football players, especially Captain Bill Johansen and Pete Bouchard, and our outstanding basketball players Captain Edward Dobrynski and star shooter, "Bob" Foley. Shall we ever forget our dances, class supper, parties, and football rallies that made our time at school so happy? Above all we shall remember all our teachers and the lessons they tried to teach us along with the splendid spirit of guidance, friendliness, loyalty, and cooperation they so admirably showed. Finally we shall treasure our class book, "The Farmington Student," for the fond memories it will ever hold for us of the dearest school in the land, dear old Farmington High School.

Literature

THREE STRANGERS

"My gas is getting pretty low. I guess I'd better stop at that gas station ahead," thought Martin Scott, as he drove along the dreary, rain soaked roads of Massachusetts. Pulling into the all-night gas station he waited patiently for the attendant to come out to him.

"Hi, Mister, rotten night, isn't it?"

"Sure is. I'll be glad to get home."

"Got much farther to go?"

"Bout thirty miles. I'm headed for Jewelsville."

"You are? There's a young girl in the diner next door getting a cup of coffee who's headin' in that direction. How about givin' her a lift? She seems like a nice kid."

"Okay. I'll go in and ask her if she wants a ride. While I'm in there, will you check the water, oil and tires, please?"

Martin Scott walked quickly across the parking lot, dodging the puddles, into the all-night diner. He instantly spied the beautiful brunette seated at the end of the counter. Walking up to her he said politely, "Pardon me, Miss. The gas attendant told me that you wanted a ride. I'm going as far as Jewelsville."

"Oh, that would be wonderful. I'm going to Watertown, five miles this side of Jewelsville."

Martin sat down on the stool beside her. "Since we're going to be traveling together, we might as well get acquainted. I'm Martin Scott, a nylon salesman. We sell everything from parachutes to stockings."

"Well, I'm Sue Evans. I'm just a plain hoofer, singer, dancer, cigarette girl--I guess I've done about everything. Right now I'm on my way to Watertown where I've got a job waiting for me. I'll be singing at Jimmy's Place for awhile."

Just then the door flew open and the gas station attendant shouted, "Your car's ready, Mister."

While Sue and Martin were turning up their coat collars and were preparing to leave, a short, dark complexioned man who had been sitting unnoticed in one of the booths, came towards them.

"Say, Mister, I couldn't help but overhear your conversation. I'm headed for Watertown, too. Would you have room to give me a lift?" He spoke slowly in a low, rather gruff voice. His hat was dirty and water-spotted, and pulled down over his glassy, shifting eyes.

"Well," Martin hesitated and gave a questioning look at Sue, who nodded her head in approval.

"It's such a horrid night to be stuck here," Sue exclaimed. "I know how it is,"

"Well, if you don't mind, I guess we have room for one more."

The three moved silently to the car and started on the road to Watertown, Sue sitting in front next to Martin and the stranger, in back.

"Say, Buddy, you didn't tell us your name."

"You didn't tell me yours either," the stranger retorted.

"Oh, we didn't, did we? I'm Martin Scott, a salesman and this is Miss Evans, a singer."

"I'm Bob," the stranger answered simply.

"What do you do for a living?" Sue inquired politely.

"Anything," he replied shortly.

The ride continued in silence. The rain splashed against the windshield unceasingly. Its noise and the endless flip flop of the windshield wipers were the only audible sounds, except for the sound of the engine.

"This quiet is getting on my nerves," snapped Sue. "Let's get some music or news on the radio."

"No, if you don't mind, I'd rather not have it on," answered Martin quickly. "I can't concentrate on my driving with that thing going, and with this war news it's worse than ever. There's a turn up here a little way that I'm watching for anyway."

Shortly Sue made out a group of large direction signs ahead of them. "I think this is the turn you were looking for." Martin pulled over to the side of the road and the headlights flashed their beams on the signs.

"It says, 'Watertown left' and also 'straight ahead,'" Sue stated.

"If we go straight, it takes us through the mountains. I don't know if I want to go that way tonight."

"It's a lot shorter, Mister. You'd better go straight." This was the first time that Bob had spoken since stating his name.

"I don't care if it is shorter," Martin answered quickly. "On a night like this I don't want to go through the mountains."

"I tell ya, Mister, you'll get there quicker if you go that way. It's a good road and I know a short cut that will cut off about five miles."

"Well, I am in kind of a hurry. All right, we'll go straight."

"Well, I'm glad that's settled," Sue put in.

Once more they started on their way. The silence was even more heavy now because of the quarrel. Everyone was on edge.

After traveling about two miles, Bob broke the quiet with, "Say, Buddy, would you mind stopping at that farmhouse up ahead? I want to make a phone call to my wife."

"Sure, if you'll make it quick," answered Martin.

They came to a squeaking halt in front of a dismal looking, dimly lighted house. Bob jumped out of the car with, "I'll be right back." He gave a quick look over his shoulder as he was admitted into the house.

"This rain is getting on my nerves. Let's not just sit here with only the sound of the rain. We can at least have the radio on while you're not driving." As Sue said that, she snapped on the car radio and, as soon as the music filled the car, sighed with relief.

Suddenly the music stopped and a voice was heard saying, "We interrupt this program to bring you a special news bulletin. A mental patient from the state asylum escaped tonight. He is a homicidal maniac and is armed. He especially takes pleasure in killing female brunettes. Here is his description. He is---"

Martin leaned forward and quickly snapped the radio off. "Whew, that's too scary for a night like this."

"Martin, that Bob acts very strangely. He wouldn't tell us where he came from or what he does for a living, and he has spoken only a few words. And did you notice his eyes? I'll bet he's that escaped maniac."

"You may be right, Sue. In fact, the more I think about it, the more I think that he is."

"Let's not wait here. We have a good chance now to get away from him. He might kill us!"

"All right." Martin started the motor and had gone about one hundred feet when they heard a loud noise and the rumble to the side of the road.

"Oh, nuts, a blowout! Of all the luck!"

"And here comes Bob. He'll kill us for sure now because he's probably guessed that we know who he is."

"What were you trying to do? You weren't going off without me were you?" Bob looked at them suspiciously.

"Oh, no," the others lied feebly.

"Never mind. I'd better get busy fixing that tire," Bob volunteered. "You'd get all wet and dirty, Buddy. Give me the keys so I can get the spare tire."

"The keys?" Martin asked suspiciously.

"Yes. I can't unlock the trunk without them."

Unwillingly Martin handed the car keys to Bob, who took them with a sly glance at him and the striking brunette at his side.

Once again silence reigned as Bob, without another word, unlocked the trunk compartment, jacked up the car, and changed the tire. Suddenly he appeared at the left car door and ordered Martin to move over.

"I'm taking over now." Bob opened the door and forced his way in. He started the engine and they moved slowly down the wet road.

The rain had dwindled to a drizzle, but no one noticed.

"What are you going to do to us?" Sue begged.

"Just have patience, lady, have patience. If you behave yourself, nothing will happen," he retorted.

The car swerved suddenly into an even darker, more narrow country road, with woods on both sides, and just as suddenly came to a jerking stop.

"Why are you stopping here?" asked Sue frightened. "We're still a long way from Watertown."

"I know, lady, Come on, out with you two."

"Oh, you're not going to kill us, are you? I've got some money you can have."

"Don't worry, lady. Nothing's going to happen to you."

"I should say it isn't. But I can't say the same thing for you." At this Martin snatched a long shining knife out of his breast pocket and thrust it into Bob's chest.

Sue screamed, "What are you doing?"

"Don't get excited, Sue," Martin spoke slowly and softly now, and there was a far-away tone in his voice. "I'll get to you. But first I just want a lock of your beautiful hair. It won't hurt. Just a lock of your beautiful hair."

"What, what is this?"

"You don't know? I'm that man they were talking about on the radio tonight. I was hoping that you wouldn't hear it. That's why I didn't want the radio on. But then you fell right into my hands by suspecting that Bob. It's too bad he had to come along. I really didn't want to hurt him. When I kill you, it won't hurt either."

"You're going to kill me?"

"What else can I do? If I don't, you'll tell them where to find me. Your neck is so soft."

He pressed his fingers around Sue's neck, but suddenly stopped at the sound of an approaching siren from a police car. There were gun shots, screams, and Martin fell to the ground.

"Are you all right, Miss?" a policeman inquired.

"I think so. I'm a little confused though. How did you find us?"

"Our detective in charge of this case phoned us at a farmhouse down the road."

"That was Bob. And we thought he was the killer."

"No, Miss, this fellow lying here in the road was the maniac."

Marjorie Templeton, '51

FANTASY

As I stand at my bedroom window,
The forest looks black and still;
But suddenly a light is seen
Creeping behind the hill.

It rises till it lights the sky,
Making strange the objects below,
Till the whole earth looks like fairyland,
Displaying a wonderful show.

I see a beautiful castle,
With a high surrounding wall;
And a sentry marching up and down,
His duty to watch over all.

A turret looms high above the earth,
And sings as the wind doth blow,
In the distance the tents of the soldiers,
Are pitched in an orderly row.

As I watch, the clouds begin to roll,
And the moon to show its light,
As brighter becomes the darkened sky,
My eyes discern familiar sights.

My beautiful castle is only a barn,
The turret--a silo of red,
The many tents are sleeping cows,
And oh, the sentry has fled!

Juliette Wollenberg, '51

SONG OF SPRING

Silver little raindrops
Bring forth a song of spring,
As they join with robins
In a joyful sing.

The rain, it pitter patters,
Beats out a rhythmic time
The robins sing the chorus,
The bluebell is the chime.

The cricket is the alto
And he chirps along,
As the tenor peepfrog,
Joins the merry song.

The thunder is the big bass drum,
The brooklet is the cymbal
They all join in with harmony,
Making a sounding timbrel.

It is a song of springtime,
Its tone so sweet and clear,
Now, listen for this melody,
For its one you'll want to hear.

Carol Polsten, '51

THE BABYSITTER

The babysitter has no easy task;
For a harder job than hers I would not ask,
She must work days and nights and weekends too,
What else is a schoolgirl to do?

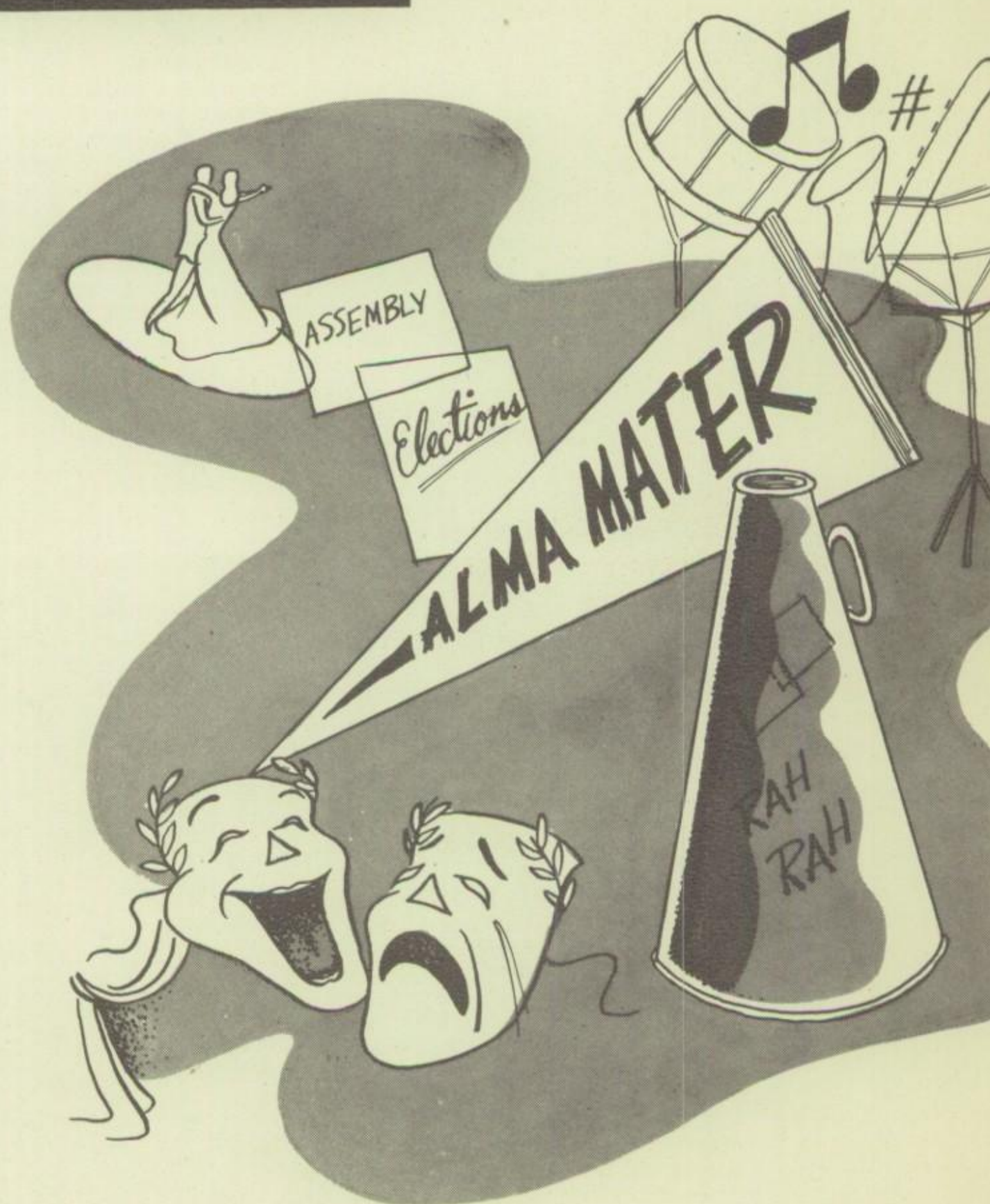
The minute that I walk into the room
The little boy runs toward me with the broom;
He yells and squeals and shoots his gun with glee;
By then he's made an Indian of me.

We soon sit down to read a bedtime tale
About old Reddy fox or Will the whale,
Then after the story comes the nightly tub,
And also comes an end to the day's hubbub.

The prayers are said and he is tucked in bed;
Soon only dreams are running through his head,
The rest of the evening I must sit and wait,
And hope that his parents won't be too late.

Marjorie Templeton, '51

ACTIVITIES





National Honor Society

President . . . William Johansen
 Vice President. Audrey Petersen
 Secretary Nancy Beloin
 Treasurer Clifford Fellage

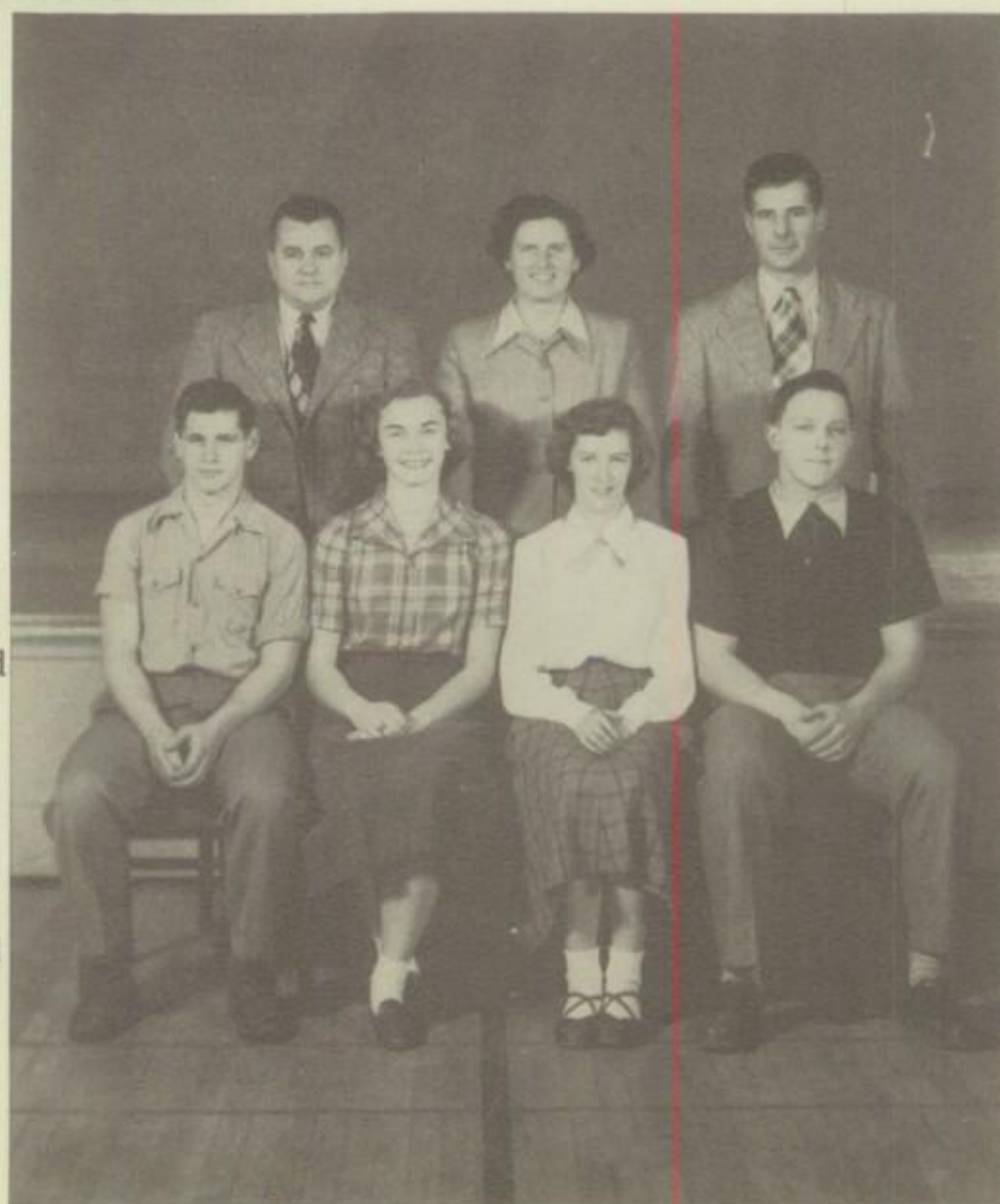
The four qualities stressed in the National Honor Society are Scholarship, Service, Character and Leadership. To be eligible for membership students of the junior and senior classes must have an average of eighty-five with no grades below eighty. Miss D. Evelyn Bower is the faculty advisor of the Tunxis Chapter of Farmington High School. The 1951 induction exercises took place March 15 with Rabbi Abraham J. Feldman as principal speaker.



Athletic Association

President Andrew Bouchard
 Vice-President . William Johansen
 Secretary Helen Long
 Treasurer Audrey Petersen

The Athletic Association at Farmington High School is very important and vital to the successful operation of the athletic teams. A majority of the student body are members and pay monthly dues. The direction of the association is in the capable hands of Mr. Andrew Lesiak, Mr. Charles Barney, and Miss Mary Heintz. Chief among the activities of the members are those of collecting tickets and selling programs at football and basketball games. The association points with pride to the electric score board which was purchased this year by the returns from membership dues.





Conservation Club

President Peter Bouchard
 Vice President . . William Rourke
 Secretary Joan Shirley
 Treasurer Carol Heath



Hilltop Club



Boosters Club

President . . . Peter Bouchard
 Vice President. . Robert Foley
 Secretary . . . Winifred Harris
 Treasurer. . Patricia O'Leary

*Good Luck with
 that convertible Betty-
 Ann*



*Good Luck
 and don't forget
 the fun we had.
 Dolores*

CHEERLEADERS

Front row (left to right)--D. Landon, J. Jones, A. Rogers, J. Servant.
 Second row (left to right)--H. Long, S. Lerche, C. Heath, P. Arnold, H. Jensen.
 Captain P. O'Leary is missing from picture.



Choral Club



*W. J. a. Band
Eddie Young
'2-2-64*



Basketball



Front row (left to right)--B. Gunther, M. Lowmiller, J. Whitney, Co-Captains-S. Hayostek, W. Harris, J. Robinson, E. Flynn, R. Cadoret.

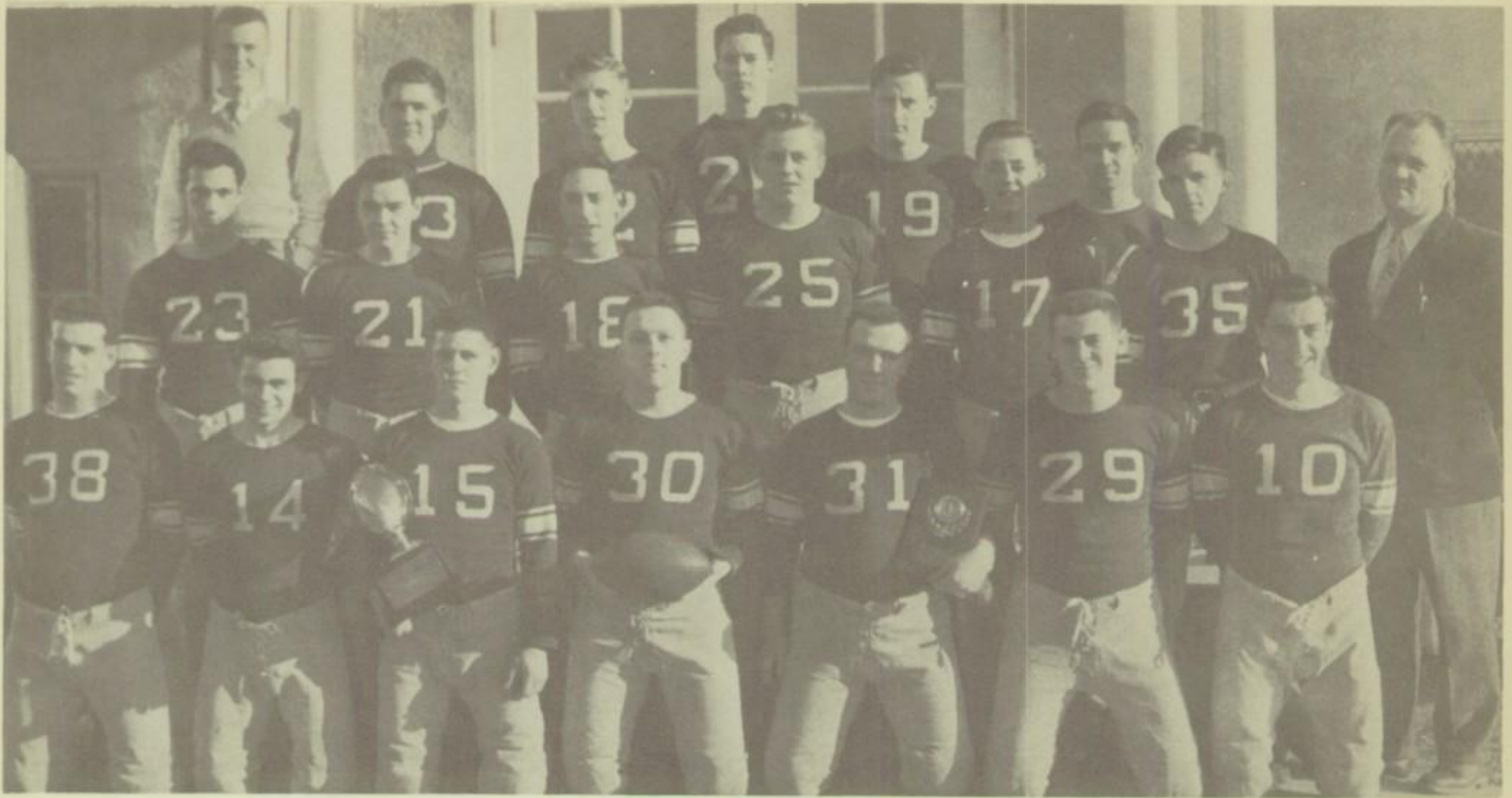
Second row--Coach-M. Heintz, Manager-R. Collins, J. Machuga, J. James, A. Sansone, A. Petersen, M. Blinn, P. Cook, M. Cleary, Manager-M. Landa.



Front row (left to right)--R. Foley, R. Robinson, Captain-E. Dobryn-ski, F. Draper, P. Gregarick.

Second row--Coach - C. Dickenman, S. Copeland, P. Bouchard, J. Moody, D. Knox, D. Dillon, H. Wheeler, R. Battista, R. Fradette, Manager-R. Gustafson.

Football



Alphabet

- A is for Amelotte, who just joined our class,
We all find her a friendly lass.
A is for Anderson, who is quiet and shy,
But when she gets laughing, O me, O My!
A is for Anderson, who likes to raise chickens,
When they don't lay, she gives them the dickens.
A is for Arnold, one of the twins,
And that is how the mix up begins.
A is for Arnold, who says "baloney,"
When we ask "Which twin has the Toni."
B is for Beloin, a cute little lass
She's one of the smartest in our class.
B is for Bouchard, of athletic fame,
In all kinds of sports, he plays a good game.
B is for Boudreau, who comes from the Lake,
Some day a cute little housewife she'll make.
C is for Cheney, whose laugh is contagious,
When he's arguing, his ideas are outrageous.
C is for Collins, a fair Irish lass,
She rode to school as long as Russell had gas.
D is for Deegan, who's learning to drive,
Boy, is Mr. Sprague lucky he's still alive.
D is for Deegan, whose hair is red,
Don't judge her temper by what's on her head.
D is for Dobrynski, alias Don Juan,
His romancing is endless, it goes on and on.
D is for Draper, the lisping lover,
When a certain girl calls, he dives for cover.
D is for Driscoll, a female Astaire,
To see her without gum is a sight really rare.
D is for Drummond, who likes all the boys,
They are to her only nice toys.
E is for Erkson, who works in a store,
He loves to pick apples up from the floor.
F is for Felage, who doesn't go steady,
But when the time comes, he'll be quite ready.
F is for Flynn, so tidy and neat,
With a smile and a manner all so sweet.
F is for Foley, who is not very tall,
But when it comes to basketball, he's right on the ball.
G is for Girard, who is very gallant,
For playing a guitar he has much talent.
G is for Gresh, who is one of the clique,
But dying her hair was a cute little trick.
G is for Gresh, who only says "please,"
Whenever he's asking for "O. P. B.'s."
H is for Harris, who likes to be gay,
She can be heard laughing throughout all the day.
H is for Hart, who acts with ease,
While many boys get "Hart" disease.
H is for Hayostek, who has long flowing tresses,
She is just as neat in the way she dresses.
H is for Heath, who cuts all the girl's hair,
For hairdressing she has quite a flair.
H is for Hornberger, who seldom does speak,
Which gives the impression she is quite meek.
J is for Johansen, who once was free,
But now Joan has him under lock and key.
K is for Kerr, so thin and tall,
For more than one he's bound to fall.
K is for Killiany, a camera fan,
He's also a very good sound effects man.

K is for Knox, who wishes she could dance,
 Since Irving came along and began a romance.
 L is for Lathrop, whom we call "Lizzie,"
 In journalism class she always is busy.
 L is for Lesiak, so little and silly,
 She loves to square dance like a hill-billy.
 L is for Long, with pretty brown tresses,
 Her troubles and sorrows to Steve she confesses.
 M is for MacDonald, who can find weight and mass,
 Better than the rest of our physics class.
 M is for Marrocco, the shortest in the class,
 Someday he'll marry a six foot lass.
 M is for Matava, who seems rather shy,
 But when he's with Winnie, he's quite a guy.
 M is for McAuliffe, with jet black hair,
 She dresses with the utmost care.
 M is for Mitchell, R. E. by name,
 Who is willing to chauffeur a Lake Garda dame.
 M is for Mitchell, who likes a cigar,
 As he presses the gas pedal down so far.
 M is for Moody, who came from up "thar,"
 With his ambition he's bound to go far.
 M is for Moolhuyzen, who never stops for breath,
 Watch out, "Georgie", she'll talk you to death.
 O' is for O'Leary, who likes many a guy,
 She would give them up, but would rather "dye."
 O is for Olyphant, who is quite a joker,
 She won't stop laughing until you poke her.
 P is for Pascus, famed for his looks,
 He doesn't care too much for books.
 P is for Petersen, on the piano she plays,
 It seems odd that she rides the bus both ways.
 P is for Petersen, who doesn't make a sound,
 When she's out with Henry, I'll bet the talk goes round.
 P is for Polsten, who works on the paper,
 We'd be much surprised if she cut a caper.
 R is for Rindfleisch, who owns an old Ford,
 If he ever went dancing, he'd surely be bored.
 R is for Rourke, who is happy and gay,
 He'd like to have a vacation every day.
 S is for Servant, who likes to have fun,
 Maybe she collects souvenirs from each one.
 S is for Shirley, who's in on a plan,
 To help her succeed in keeping her man.
 S is for Stanchfield, who is so small,
 We can hardly see her when she walks down the hall.
 S is for Sutton, who keeps late hours,
 And he doesn't spend them watering flowers.
 T is for Templeton, a very bright scholar,
 Say "Hamlet is sane" and she'll holler.
 T is for Tribuzio, whose tardiness at school,
 Gives people the impression he rides a mule.
 U is for Unwin, who helps with the food,
 Friendly and always in a good mood.
 V is for Varney, Genevieve is her name,
 Out late again--Donnie's to blame.
 V is for Vetrano, who holds a special place,
 For gum chewing, laughing, and a happy face.
 W is for Wilusz, a fair haired lass,
 Everyone knows she's the clown of the class.
 W is for Wollenberg, who has a gay dimple,
 To make a good joke for her is so simple.

Statistics

GIRLS

Ann MacDonald
Nancy Beloin
Helen Long
Catherine Wilusz
Beverly Driscoll
Carol Heath
Janet Anderson
Jeanne Servant
Denise Olyphant
Eileen Flynn
Sophie Hayostek
Audrey Petersen
Sylvia Hornberger
Audrey Petersen
Helen Long
Carol Polsten
Winifred Harris
Patricia O'Leary
Elizabeth Lathrop
Beverly Driscoll
Audrey Petersen
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Patricia O'Leary
Nancy Beloin
Irene Gresh
Sylvia Hornberger
Catherine Wilusz
Barbara Hart
Jeanne Servant
Carol Heath
Audrey Petersen
Jean Vetrano
Jean Vetrano
Barbara Hart
Sophie Hayostek

Best Student
Best Looking
Most Courteous
Best Natured
Night Hawk
Heart Breaker
Class Baby
Peppiest
Nonchalant
Neatest
Best Dancers
Best All Around
Quietest
Teacher's Pet
Most Pleasing Personality
Class Artist
Athlete
Most School Spirit
Most Obliging
Noisiest
Most Ambitious
Busiest
Optimist
Pessimist
Most Changed Since Frosh Year
Thinnest
Poet
Debater
Flirt
Greatest Fusser
Greatest Loss to School
Mischief Maker
Most Independent
Class Politician
Answer to a Maiden's Prayer
Answer to a Man's Prayer

BOYS

Clifford Fellage
Benjamin Pascus
Walter Girad
Russell Arnold
Ronald Sutton
Edward Dobrynski
Robert Foley
Andrew Bouchard
Donald Rindfleisch
Robert Foley
Peter Tribuzio
William Johansen
Robert Erkson
Andrew Bouchard
William Johansen
Clifford Fellage
Edward Dobrynski
Forrest Draper
Donald Killiany
Peter Tribuzio
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Ronald Sutton
Robert Foley
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Robert Kerr
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CLASS STATISTICS

GIRLS

Mary Deegan
 Marjorie Templeton
 Sophie Hayostek
 Juliette Wollenberg
 Barbara Hart
 Audrey Petersen
 Audrey Petersen
 Joan Shirley
 Barbara Hart
 Elizabeth Moolhuyzen
 Elizabeth Moolhuyzen
 Audrey Petersen
 Juanita Stanchfield
 Carol Heath
 Eileen Flynn
 Eleanor McAuliffe
 Patricia O'Leary
 Janet Drummond
 Barbara Lesiak
 Patricia O'Leary
 Marjorie Templeton
 Catherine Wilusz
 Patricia O'Leary
 Janet Drummond
 Juanita Stanchfield
 Shirley Anderson
 Jean Vetrano
 Catherine Wilusz
 Ann MacDonald
 Patricia O'Leary
 Barbara Petersen
 Janet Drummond
 Marjorie Templeton
 Barbara Hart
 Audrey Petersen

Most Freckled
 Class Grind
 Borrower
 Blushes
 Most Romantically Inclined
 Best Drag with Faculty
 Best Head of Blond Hair
 Most Promising Couple
 Actress-Actor
 Most Talkative
 Biggest Bluffer
 Most Likely to Succeed
 Stubborn
 Influential
 Modest
 Best Dressed
 Most Popular
 Best Singer
 Silliest
 Most Carefree
 Dignified
 Witty
 Cutest
 Tallest
 Shortest
 Cook
 Expert Gum Chewers
 Jovial
 Most Reserved
 Tardy Most
 Absent Most
 Most Sophisticated
 Most Gracious--Most Gallant
 Best Line
 Musician

BOYS

Daniel Deegan
 Clifford Fellage
 Paul Gresh
 William Rourke
 Edward Dobrynski
 Andrew Bouchard
 Robert E. Mitchell
 William Johansen
 Adrian Cheney
 Robert W. Mitchell
 Benjamin Pascus
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 Robert Foley
 Ronald Sutton
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 Jerome Matava
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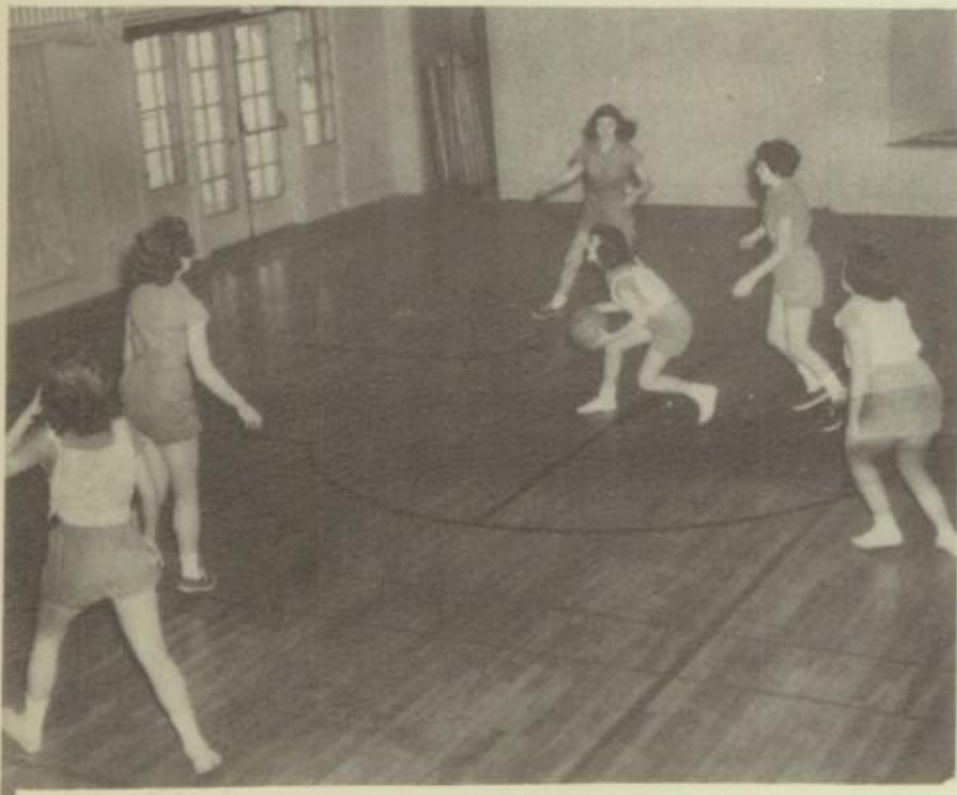
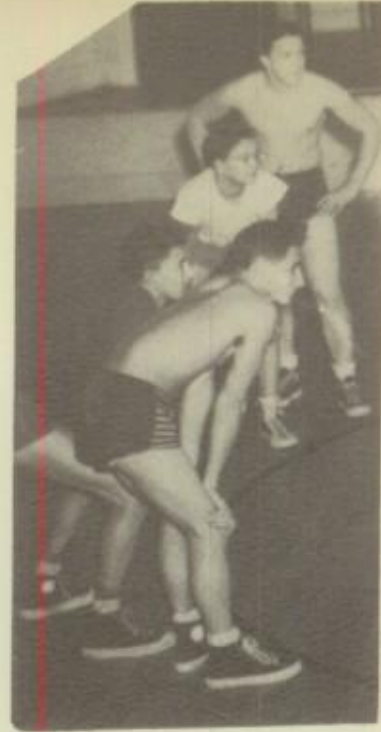
Rita Amelotte cooking an omelet.
Janet Anderson on time for the bus.
Shirley Anderson handing out free ice cream in the cafeteria.
Ronald Arnold being enthusiastic.
Russell Arnold not fond of the Greek word for wisdom.
Nancy Beloin playing in the intramurals.
Pete Bouchard not teasing Miss Balazy.
June Boudreau as a politician.
Adrian Cheney without his boots.
Rose Collins as a female wrestler.
Daniel Deegan as an undertaker.
Mary Deegan with short, blond hair.
Edward Dobrynski on time with his reports.
Forrest Draper as a stool pigeon.
Beverly Driscoll with lockjaw.
Janet Drummond as understudy for Marjorie Main.
Robert Erkson as a Don Juan
Clifford Felage without a group of girls to talk to.
Eileen Flynn becoming a French heiress.
Robert Foley as a second Fred Astaire.
Walter Girard not "bumming" a ride.
Irene Gresh as a matron in Seyms Street.
Paul Gresh as a Tommy Manville.
Winnie Harris without her bobby pins.
Barbara Hart not being dramatic.
Sophie Hayostek forgetting the Alumni.
Carol Heath without a "Ray" of hope.
Sylvia Hornberger as a demagogue.
William Johansen as a long haired violinist.
Robert Kerr surviving a windstorm.
Donald Killiany as a pedestrian.
Carolyn Knox as a torch singer.
Elizabeth Lathrop not trimming trees.
Barbara Lesiak as a commentator.
Helen Long shortening Long Island.
Ann MacDonald expelled from school.
John Marrocco as the world's heavy weight champion.
Jerome Matava becoming a fire chief.
Eleanor McAuffiffe as a tatter demalion.
Robert E. Mitchell as a truant officer.
Robert W. Mitchell giving up smoking for Lent.
James Moody singing Bromo-Seltzer Commercials
Elizabeth Moolhuyzen swimming the English channel.
Patricia O'Leary as a lyric soprano.
Denise Olyphant as a ballet dancer.
Benjamin Pascus fond of Gillette.
Audrey Petersen walking home from school.
Barbara Petersen having perfect attendance.
Carol Polsten as a referee.
Donald Rindfleisch giving a course in poetry.
William Rourke getting lost in a haystack.
Jean Servant not going steady.
Joan Shirley changing her residence.
Juanita Stanchfield as an Amazon.
Ronald Sutton as a preacher.
Marjorie Templetion as a tap dancer.
Peter Tribuzio succeeding Mr. Saunders.
Rita Unwin going anywhere alone.
Genevieve Varney as a pool shark.
Jean Vetrano not interested in the janitor's quarters.
Catherine Wilusz meaning what she said to Ben.
Juliette Wollenberg as a trapeze artist.

Alumni

CLASS OF 1950

WHERE DID THEY GO FROM HERE?

Charlotte Barnes, Beverly Sellberg, and William Johnson--Preparing for a teaching career at New Britain Teachers College.
Mary Bell--Working conscientiously at Phoenix Insurance Company.
Claire Heafey--Likes St. Elizabeth's College in New Jersey.
John Keefe--Enrolled in University of Connecticut extension in Hartford.
Vera Cameron--Singing student at Hartford Hospital.
Jean Leone--Secretary at Union School but still interested in Farmington High.
Eleanor Bonini--Keeping an eye on Donald at the Parsons Lumber Company.
Thomas Moolhuyzen--In Uncle Sam's Air Force.
Jack Holmgren--Co-owner of the Farmington Waffle Shoppe.
June Wollenberg--Taking a veterinarian's course at the University of Connecticut.
Kenneth Parsons--Acquiring a Southern accent at Citadel.
Robert La Pointe and David Cullina--Keeping the roads in condition for the town of Farmington.
Lester Knox--Learning to be a sailor.
Mary Battista--Doing a good job at Bryant College.
Leonard Bancroft--Still milking cows on the Wollenberg farm.
Hans Lauridsen--Doing major and minor scales at the Julius Hartt of Music.
Maxwell Heiman--Likes the social life at the University of Connecticut.
Robert Sullivan--Keeping in step in the United States Army.
Adrienne Anderson--Typing letters for the Hoover Company.
Stephen Matava and Allen Bristol--Employed at the Atlantic Screw Company.
Donald Fradette--Likes his father as a boss.
Arline Day--Making herself useful at the Bauer Print.
Joseph Bigwood--Planting trees for the State Forestry Department.
Mary Jean Bourque--Breaking speed records at Morse Business College.
Pearl Cleary--Flashing a diamond at the Travelers Insurance Company.
Aura Cochran--Selling sweaters at the Myrtle Knitting Mill.
Stanley Erkson--Finds studying interesting at the University of Connecticut.
Daniel Gresh--Right at home at the New England Spring.
John Landa--Employed at Collinsville First National Store.
Mary Mack--Cashier at First National Store.
Joseph McMahon--Working in the State Capitol.



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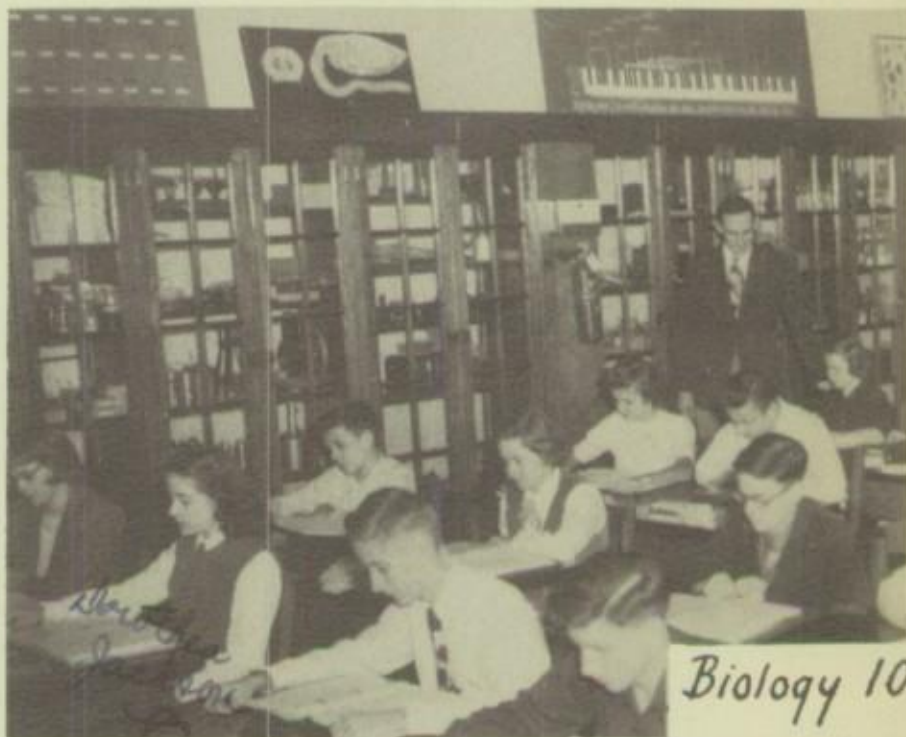
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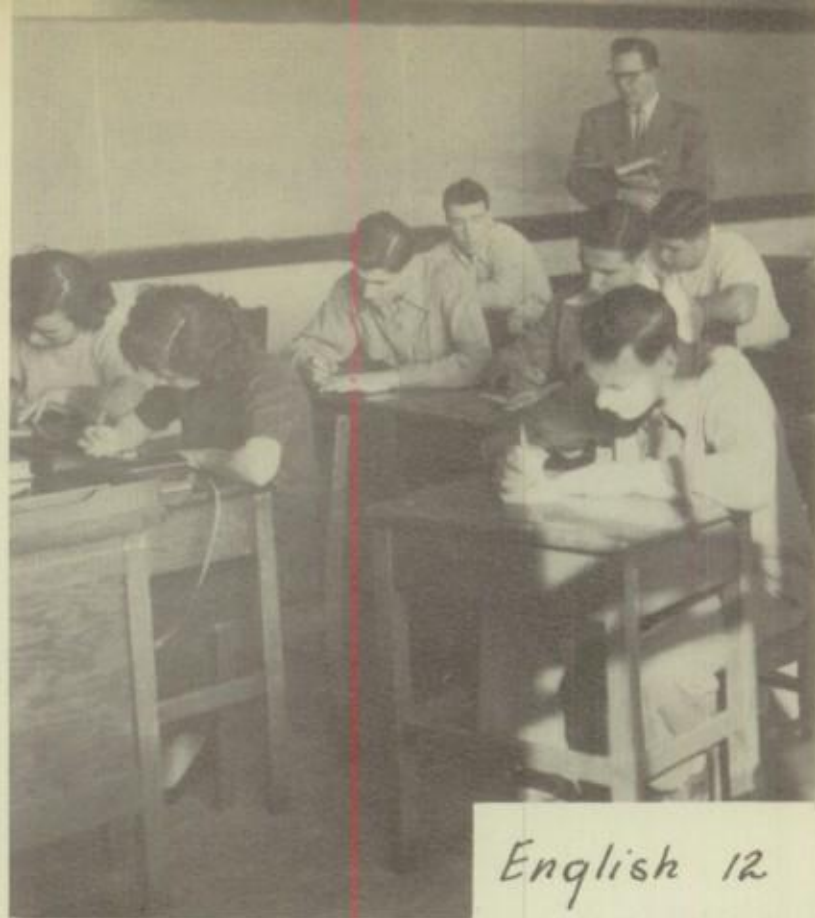


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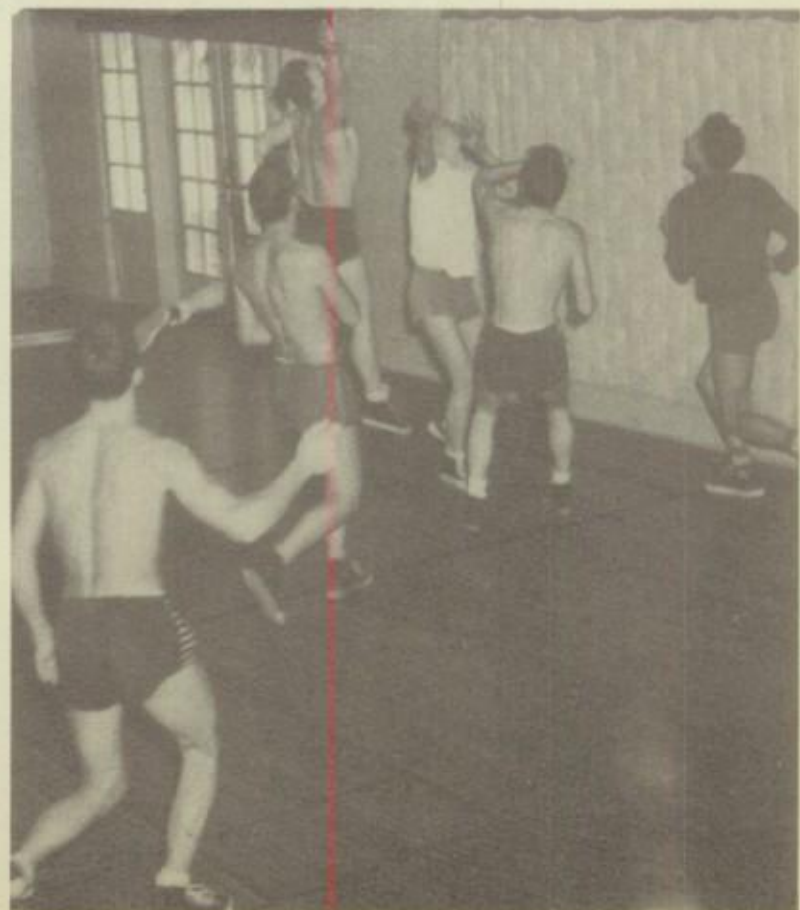
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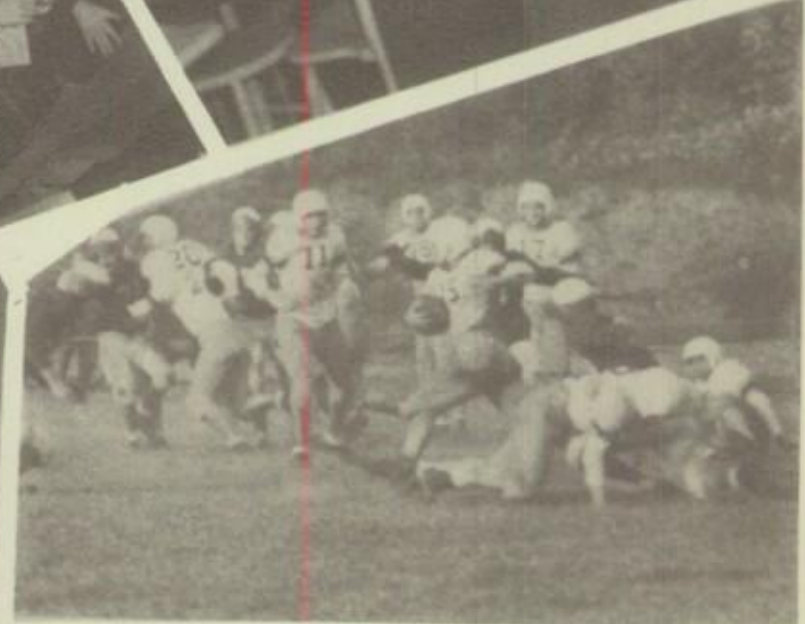
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Play





Guess Who





Football



Sophie



Bob



Anne



Carol

Art, School Paper, Annual



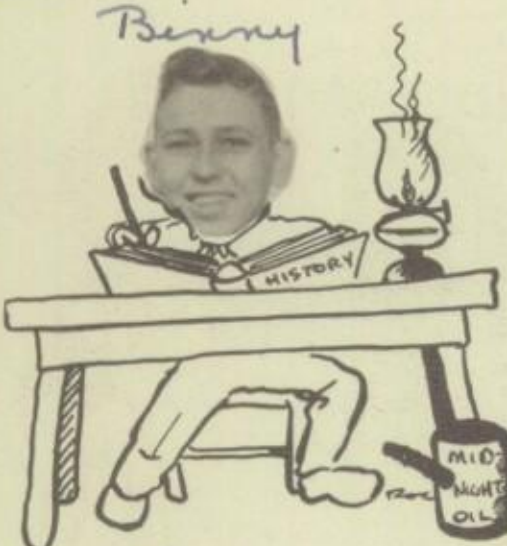
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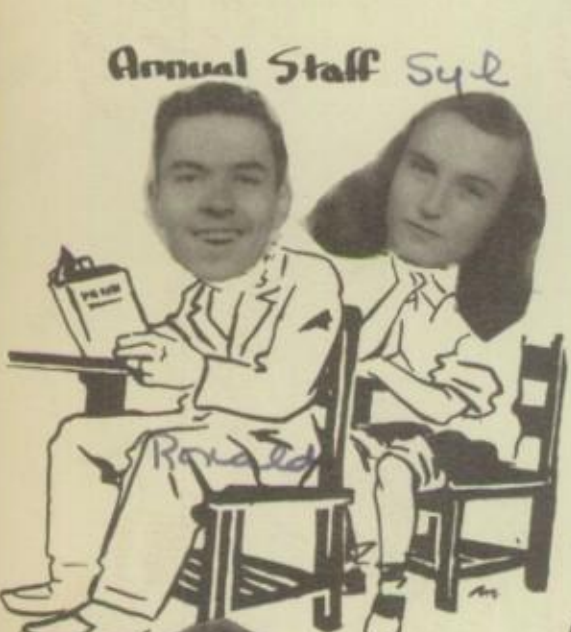
Jean

Irene



Ben

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Ronald



Helen



Bill



Rita

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Rita



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Janet



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Carolyn



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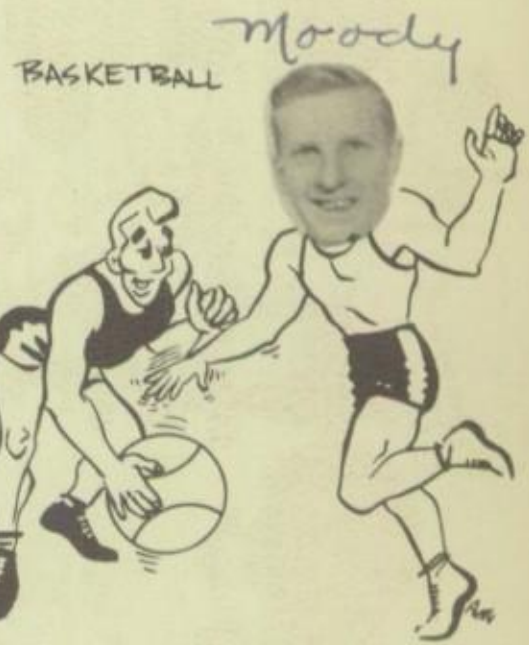
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Pete



Humor

Mr. Aston: "What do the Greek letters LXX mean?"

P. O'Leary: "Love and kisses."

Mrs. Rourke: "Willie, it is time you were up. The birds were all up long ago."

Bill: "Well, if I had to sleep in a nest of sticks and straw, I'd get up early, too."

Pete Bouchard drove his car up to the toll bridge.

"Fifty cents," cried the gateman.

"Sold," replied Pete.

Rita Unwin: "Gee, Denise, there's a man at the circus who jumps on a horse's back, slips underneath, catches hold of its tail, and finishes up on the horse's neck."

Denise: "That's easy. I did all that the first time I ever rode a horse."

Mrs. Anderson: "Shirley, when you wait on table tonight be careful not to spill anything."

Shirley: "Don't worry, mother, I know when to keep my mouth shut."

Mr. Prymak: "Before we begin the examination are there any questions?"

R. W. Mitchell: "What's the name of this course?"

Adrian: "Is this a public pond?"

Clifford: "Yes, it is."

Adrian: "Then it won't be a crime if I land a fish."

Clifford: "No, it will be a miracle."

Helen: "You used to say I was all the world to you."

Forrest: "Yeah, but my knowledge of geography was so limited then."

Bobby Kerr: "I got some corn syrup here last week and it's no good."

Mr. Glanovsky: "I'm sorry. What was wrong with the corn syrup?"

Bobby: "I've been putting it on my corns all week and they are still there."

Mr. Axelson: "Sutton, how far were you from the correct answer?"

Ronnie: "Only three seats."

Miss Balazy: "Name three collective nouns."

P. Tribuzio: "Flypaper, wastebasket, and vacuum cleaner."

Mr. Prymak: "What is the most outstanding product that chemistry has given the world?"

E. Dobrynski: "Blondes."

Visitor: "How many people work here?"

Mr. Saunders: "About one out of every ten."

Betty M.: "I've been asked to get married lots of times."

Irene G.: "Who asked you?"

Betty: "Mother and father."

Marjorie T.: "Julie, what does your father do when he finds anything wrong with his car?"

Juliette W.: "He bawls ma out."

Mr. Petersen: "Audrey, that young man of yours stays too late when he calls. Hasn't your mother said anything to you about it?"

Audrey: "Yes, mother says that men haven't changed a bit."

J. Moody: "You ought to take chloroform."

B. Parkhurst: "Yeh? Who teaches it?"

June Boudreau: "I'd like to try on that hat out there."

Mr. Dubow: "I'm sorry, miss, but that is the lampshade."

Miss Heintz: "Correct this sentence: Before any damage could be done, the fire was put out by the volunteer fire department."

G. Cameron: "The fire was put out before any damage could be done by the volunteer fire department."

Rose C.: "What was your mother's name before she married your father?"

Ann Mac.: "I think it must have been 'Savoy.' That's the name on our towels."

Mr. Burns: "When Abe Lincoln was your age he was making his own living."

Ben Pascus: "Yes, and when he was your age he was President."

Mr. Aston: "What's the penalty for bigamy?"

Danny Deegan: "Two mothers-in-law."

Nancy: "Changing a tire, eh?"

Ronnie: "No, no, I just get out every few miles and jack it up to give it a rest."

Mr. McKinnon: "What did you say this meat was?"

Miss Heintz: "Spring lamb."

Mr. McKinnon: "I believe you. I've been chewing on one of the springs for an hour."

Josephine Carroccia
"52"

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Bertie Jones
"53" I
hope

Autographs

Remember the games we went to
when I was a soph.!!! Good luck.

Woloes

Barbara Santaw

Betty Brevalsky

Don't ever forget
that Bus Driver
Margaret Peck
"53"

Best of luck always,
Diane Torrance
"52"

Good Luck in
the future
Lorine Holthman
"52"

Good Luck
Hester Sabradia
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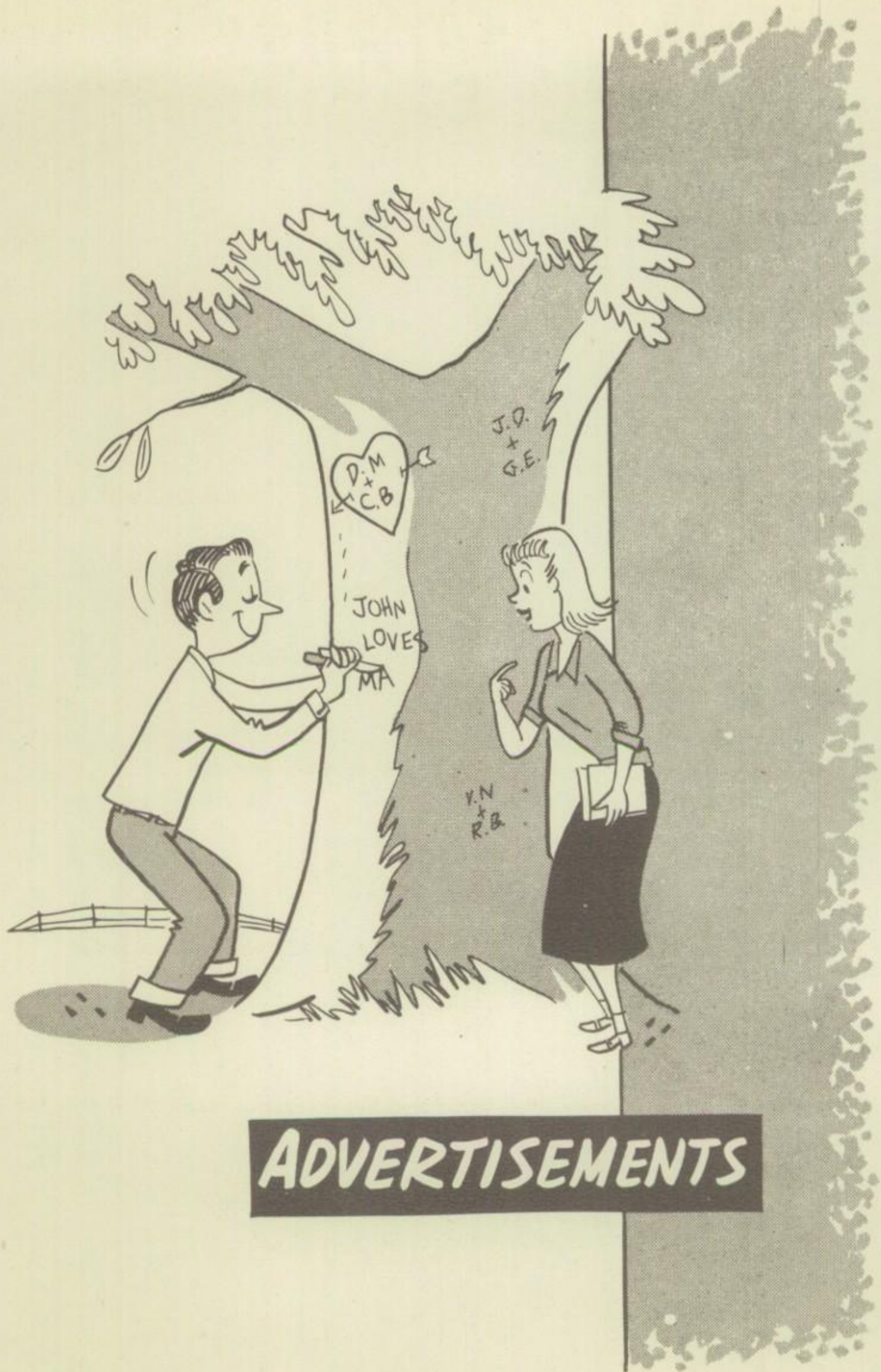
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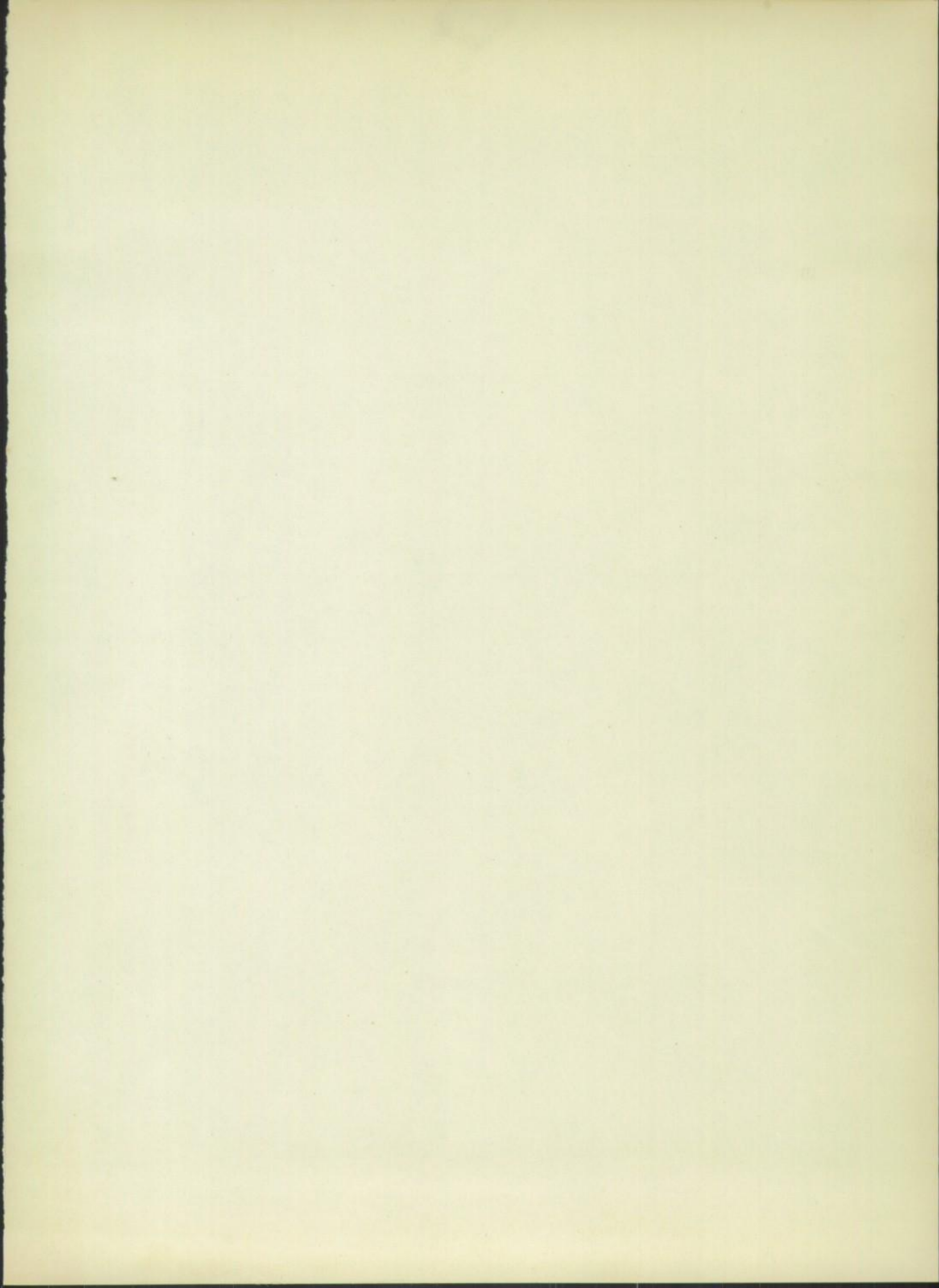
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Sissy,

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had most of our fun in Journalism.
I enjoyed working on the paper. But
you sure ~~was~~^{were} busy typing but I
guess you enjoy typing.

I hope you enjoy your work
at Traveler my sister likes it
pretty good. We sure will miss
not having that vacation, won't
we? But guess we will just
have to wait for that.

Don't drive your car too much
and when you do take it easy. Hope to
see you sometime after graduation.

Well, Betty guess I have to
close now. You will make a good
comptometer checker. Don't work
too hard. Good luck to a swell
kid. Don't forget F.H.S and
me. See you around.

fore and buses and all other
indoor sports

"Nita"

Lizard,

I know you and I will miss Journalism the most. We spent most of our study halls typing. (I didn't mind it did you?)

Boy! this year sure flew.

Thanks loads for the rides to and from school you were a swell pal to do it.

Although we didn't do much hanging around after school we still had fun in school.

I hope when school is out and we start working we will still see each other.

I know you will become a great comptometer waker. I hope you like your job at Traveler's. Its too bad that we can't be working together. Because in school we are always doing things together.

loads of luck to a
swell kid.

Ellie

P.S. Always remember me never forget me

